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MAY CHANGE DATES

FAIR OFFICERS RECONSIDER TIME OF NEXT EXHIBITION.

PLAN DOUBLE EVENT

If Nodaway Show is in September, A Fourth of July Celebration May Be Arranged.

Officers of the Maryville-Nodaway County Fair and Agricultural association met in the office of John F. Roelofson this afternoon to reconsider the dates for the Nodaway county fair next summer, on account of confliction of present dates with those of Maitland and Nebraska City, Neb. It was originally planned to hold the local fair from August 16 to August 21 inclusive.

Some favor changing back to last year's date, the first week in September, while James Andy Ford, manager, believes the first week in August would be better, because the race horses would be fresher and more liable to show better speed and class. The first week in August would conflict only with the fair at Malvern, Ia., A fair the first week in September would conflict with no other fairs.

Plan July Fourth Event.

If the September date is decided on, Mr. Ford said the association probably would arrange a two-days race and exhibition July 2 and 3 here, in the nature of a Fourth of July celebration, as that holiday this year comes on a Sunday. The event would be held at the county fair grounds, East First street, and would include features worth while, Mr. Ford announced.

If the county fair is held in August, however, no such event will be planned, it is said.

The association held a conference Saturday afternoon, but no definite action resulted.

Set Iowa Fair Dates.

The dates for the county fairs of five southern Iowa cities and Maitland, all members of the southwest Iowa short ship circuit have been set. One of the changes is that of shortening by one day the length of time the fairs will run. The Maryville-Nodaway County Fair and Agricultural association was asked to come in the circuit, but declined.

The only fair that will conflict seriously with the Nodaway county fair next summer is that of the Nodaway Valley association, to be held in Maitland from August 16 to August 20 inclusive.

George White of Malvern was elected president and Edward Birkhimer of Shenandoah secretary of the short ship association.

Offer $400 Race Purse.

It was decided to give $400 purses in the race events of the circuit this summer, and that all the members must be identified with the American Trotting association.

The dates for the circuit are as follows:

Corning—July 20-23.
Bedford—July 27-30.
Malvern—August 2-5.
Shenandoah—August 9-13.
Maitland—August 16-20.
Clarinda—August 23-27.

Many Attend Band Concert.

That the people of Maryville appreciate the worth of a good band and good music is attested by the large crowd of women and men who attend the concerts each Sunday afternoon at the Empire. The offering, too, was above the average—in fact, each concert appears to be improved and more features placed in the programs.

Debates in Schools Urged.

A proposed law that would compel school boards and boards of education to open school edifices for public discussions has been introduced in the state legislature.

The measure provides that 10 per cent of the taxpayers in the school district or community could force the proper authorities to allow use of the buildings.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

SUNSHINE RARE ARTICLE.

Rain, Sleet and Snow Equals Slush, Maryville Folks Find—May Continue.

A brand of weather, the like of which is seldom seen in Maryville, hovers over the city, has continued to so hover since Saturday morning, and may continue to hove until tomorrow at least. It started with a cold rain, which fell on a blanket of snow previously deposited.

Then Saturday noon it changed to sleet, with admixture of rain and snow, then again to a rain Sunday. Mixed as it was, one's tramp through the mixture produced a slush, slush sound that oozed miserably over one's shoes and made smiles rare.

But the temperature has not been low since Friday, the readings of J. R. Brink, official weather observer, show. At 7 o'clock this morning the maximum for the twenty-four hours preceding was 38 degrees and the minimum 31 degrees.

The precipitation has been scarcely more than an inch, either, since the "London style" weather began Saturday. According to Observer Brink the fall was but .02 of an inch for the twenty-four hours prior to 7 o'clock yesterday morning, and .96 of an inch at the same hour this morning. Since 7 o'clock and up to noon it is believed the total fall will be an inch.

DEFER DRAINAGE CASE.

Hearing in Litigation Over Nodaway River "Cut" is Postponed.

The continuance of the hearing, by special referee, in the two suits resulting over the Nodaway river drainage "cut," which was to have been held in the circuit court room here today, has been further postponed until next week at least. The delay is occasioned by the fact that the Andrew county court convened today. As Peter Breit of Savannah, special referee, is busy on several trials there he could not resume the hearing here today as planned.

There are two suits. The first was that of Sternberg & Son of Kansas City, constructors of the drainage ditch from the Iowa line to Quitman, against Nodaway drainage district No. 2, which contracted for the construction. That suit is for approximately $5,000, alleged to be due for construction work.

The drainage district then sued the constructors for $6,000 damages, on the grounds that it did not compiy with the specifications.

WILL ATTEND NATIONAL MEET.

Harry C. Todd, Director of Telephone Association, Leaves Today for Week's Visit.

Harry C. Todd, manager of the Hanamo Telephone company, left this afternoon for Chicago to attend an annual convention of the National Telephone Companies association, to be held there Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Mr. Todd, who is one of the directors of the national organization, is leaving one day ahead of time in order to attend a meeting of the directorate there tomorrow.

This is Mr. Todd's second term on the board of directors. He is considered one of the leading lights in the association, and generally is called on at the annual gatherings for a short talk. Mr. Todd expects to return to Maryville next Sunday or Monday.

DR. DOBYNS TO ADDRESS CLUB.

Eminent Presbyterian to Speak to Men's club Tuesday Night.

The Men's club of the First Presbyterian church will hold its February meeting and banquet at 6:30 o'clock Tuesday night at the church. Dr. William R. Dobyns, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of St. Joseph, will be the after-dinner speaker.

Dr. Dobyns is one of the leading men of the Southern Presbyterian church, and the men of the church will derive pleasure and profit from his visit.

Will Move to Colorado.

A public auction of his live stock and farm implements was held today by Sherman Pope, who lives on the David Denning farm, a half mile northeast of the Pleasant Grove church, preparatory to his moving next spring to Colorado. R. P. Hosmer was auctioneer.

TONIGHT

ZUDORA

EPISODE NUMBER SEVEN

THE EMPIRE THEATRE

BALCONY 5C LOWER FLOOR 10C

MAY END TONIGHT

BAPTIST RELIGIOUS CAMPAIGN RESULTS IN 252 CONVERSIONS.

STILL HAVE FULL HOUSE

Disagreeable Weather No Hindrance—Thirty Express Faith Last Night—Evangelist Goes to Mexico.

Despite the disagreeable weather the last few days, the First Baptist church continues to draw full houses to the revival meetings being conducted there by the Rev. A. E. Burch of Kansas City. Even last night, in a steady drizzle, the crowd went and packed the auditorium almost to its capacity. The services did not close until 11:30 o'clock, yet the audience remained for the concluding prayer.

The religious campaign which was begun by the Baptists January 3 will probably close tonight, the Rev. Lewis M. Hale, pastor, announced this morning. A vote, however, will probably be taken at the meeting tonight. If the sentiment appears to favor a continuance, the special services will not close until Wednesday night. Under no conditions, however, will they continue longer than Wednesday, Mr. Hale said.

Breaks Last Year's Record.

The revival has so far resulted in 252 conversions, compared to a total of 109 at the Baptist revival last year. In fact, this revival is said to have resulted in more conversions than any special religious campaign conducted in Maryville for years.

Of this total, eleven expressed conversion Saturday night, twenty-three yesterday morning and thirty last night. While the mark was early in the meeting set at 150, then later at 200, the Baptist workers now believe the campaign will bring about close to 300 conversions.

Mr. Burch will go from here to Mexico, Mo., where he will begin a series of union meetings the last part of this week. Evangelist Burch has decided to conduct no more revival or evangelistic meetings, but to confine his work entirely to holding union services. In fact, it was only through the friendship existing between him and Mr. Hale that he was induced to conduct the revival here, it is said, as he some time ago decided to devote his time entirely to union meetings.

GREECE TO SERVIA'S AID

Athens Says Troops to Defend Against Teutonic Assault Are Gathering.

Paris, Feb. 1.—Dispatches to the Balkan agencies from Athens says:

"Greece, with all forces, will come to the aid of the Servians with the fresh invasions into Servia by Austro-German armies.

Greatest of activity prevails now in military quarters and troops are being rapidly mobilized to go into the war against the Teutons."

SEND WHALEN TO REFORMATORY.

Governor Major Grants Judge Ellison's Request in Conception Robbery Case.

Harry Whalen, 20 years old, who was sentenced to serve two years in the state penitentiary for a theft of morphine from Dr. W. P. Stuckle of Conception, recently, will be sent to the state training school for boys at Boonville, instead of the penitentiary. This information is contained in a letter received last night from Governor Elliott W. Major by Circuit Judge W. C. Ellison, who sentenced Whalen.

After sentencing Whalen last week, Ellison made an appeal to Governor Major to have Whalen transferred from the penitentiary to the reformatory, on account of Whalen's youth. He was taken to Jefferson City by Sheriff Edwin Wallace last week, but now will be taken to Boonville. Sheriff Wallace and Deputy Gabe Purcell are expected to return today.

BLIZZARD ACROSS THE WEST.

Storm of Dangerous Proportions in Rocky Mountains Rages Today.

Chicago, Feb. 1.—A blizzard, which in the west reaches dangerous proportions, is raging today from the Rocky mountains to the great lake region.

A Bouquet for Senator Craig.

Senator Anderson Craig of Maryville, who is accepted in Jefferson City as one of the strongest members of the egislature, is billed to make a religious talk at the Presbyterian church. He is being widely advertised by attractive cards distributed about the city and throughout the capitol.—Herbert F. McDougal in the St. Joseph Gazette.

CROP TOTALS BIG

FINAL 1914 REPORT SHOWS MISSOURI FARMS YIELDED WELL.

CORN MADE 23 BUSHELS

Wheat Averaged 17 Bushels Per Acre—Entire Crops Were Worth $200,000,000, Agricultural Board Says.

More than a million dollars' worth of corn to the county is a record that Missouri has made for the year 1914, according to returns compiled from official reports made to the secretary of the Missouri State board of agriculture, according to its final report for 1914 just received.

The corn yield for the state is estimated at a little more than 175,000,000 bushels, or practically the same as the board's preliminary estimate made on September 1. This means that the Missouri farmer has this year grown about forty-two million bushels more of corn than he grew in 1913. The average yield for the past five years has been but 28,000,000 more than for the present year.

$9,000,000 Above Average.

The board estimates the value of farm crops grown in Missouri this year at more than $200,000,000, or nine million dollars in excess of the five-year average. Large as are these figures, they do not disclose the real returns from Missouri farms Had live stock, wool, dairy products, poultry, orchard and apiary products been included, it would have been seen that even in what has been counted a rather unfavorable year Missouri farm productions and sales have totaled more than $500,000,000.

The value of Missouri crops for the year 1914 reaches the magnificent total of $201,455,275, according to estimates based upon reports made by the board's official representatives in the 114 counties of the state.

The average crop value for the five-year period of 1909-13 has been $192,515,000, with $209,219,000 as the highest within this period. Corn carries the big figure for 1914, the value of the crop being placed at $15,257,869. This represents an average price of 66 cents per bushel. A number of other crops show a decided increase in value, and some a gratifying gain in yield.

Was More Than 1913 Yield.

The state production of 175,158,000 bushels of corn, grown on 7,421,678 acres, represents a yield of 23.6 bushels per acre. The total yield for 1913 was 132,748,500 bushels and the average yield per acre was 17.6 bushels. The average yield for the past five-year period has been 203,462,000 bushels, or 26.9 bushels per acre. The highest yield for this period was in 1910, when the crop consisted of 252,472,000 bushels, with an acre yield of 32.4 bushels.

Good farming and a fairly favorable season in the northwestern part of the state and along the western border made possible the yields for 1914.

Wheat Worth $36,885,000.

The board of agriculture estimates the 1914 wheat yield at 36,933,501 bushels, harvested from 2,156,637 acres. This represents a yield of 17.1 bushels per acre, which is the same as the preliminary estimate made at the time of harvesting. The value of the crop, figured at the December 1 price of a fraction less than $1 per bushel, is $36,885,481.

The estimate for the 1914 oat crop shows a yield of 18,534,533 bushels grown on 893,144 acres. This is an average yield of 20.8 bushels for the state. By sections, the yield was: Northeast, 14.8 bushels, northwest, 25.6 bushels; central, 18.5 bushels, southwest, 27 bushels; southeast, 15.5 bushels.

Shenandoah to Clean Up.

"Clean Up Shenandoah" is the watch word of a campaign that started at Shenandoah, Ia., last week, with influences that grew out of a Methodist revival. It has already landed five in the city jail charged with bootlegging and handed one cigarette merchant a fine of $25 and costs.

Informal Dance

W. O. W. HALL

Tuesday, February 2

FIVE PIECE ORCHESTRA

Admission - 50c

Ladies Free

NEW TUTOR BEGINS WORK.

Prof. F. P. Wagg Assumes Head of Educational Department at Normal Today.

Prof. Frank P. Wagg of Brooklyn succeeded Prof. M. G. Neale as director of the department of education and training at the State Normal school this morning. This position has been filled temporarily by President Ira Richardson since Prof. Neale's retirement, a month ago.

Prof. Wagg has the reputation of being well qualified to assume the position to which he has been appointed here. He has had a wide experience in teaching, and holds several degrees from the best colleges of the country.

Parnell Couple Would Wed.

Emmett Miller and Miss Bertha Dixon, both of Parnell, were granted a license to marry in St. Joseph Saturday.

HOLD MISSION DAY

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH OBSERVES SPECIAL MEETINGS.

STATE WORKERS SPEAK

All Women's Missionary Societies Join in Afternoon Program—Illustrated Lecture Given Last Night.

An interesting series of mission services were held at the First Christian church yesterday, in charge of the women's missionary organizations of the church. The special features of the day's meeting were addresses made by Mrs. Ross of Canton, field worker in missions, and Mrs. O. W. Lawrence, state secretary of the C. W. B. M.

At the morning hour of services a splendid talk dealing entirely with the mission work of the Christian denomination was given by Mrs. Ross. The Maryville church has a part in the upkeeping of the "Living Link Pledge," and for this purpose twenty-one life memberships were taken yesterday, the amount paid going into this benevolence.

In the afternoon the meeting was especially arranged for all the women's missionary societies of the city, and a representative from each participated in the program. At this time addresses were made by Mrs. Ross and Mrs. Lawrence. Despite the bad weather a good crowd was in attendance and enjoyed the afternoon's programs.

The last night's program was one of the best of the day, when Mrs. Ross gave an illustrated lecture. Her talk related to the work of the Southern Christian institute, a negro school in Mississippi which the church has been supporting. The school is now self-supporting, and its work and the history of its progress was told of by Mrs. Ross, illustrated with stereopticon slides. The latter part of the lecture was devoted to the mission work in Liberia, where Mrs. Ross' son, Emory Ross, has been a worker for years.

Mrs. Ross and Mrs. Lawrence left this morning for Kansas City, where they will attend a similar meeting to be held tomorrow.

SELL ROAD BONDS

LINCOLN TOWNSHIP ISSUE COSTS 5½ PER CENT.

SUBMIT ONLY 2 BIDS

Chicago Firm Outbids Farmers Trust Company by One-Half Per Cent—Premium is $69.

The $25,000 bond issue for the improvement of roads and bridges in Lincoln township, which was authorized in a special election November 10, was sold by the county court this afternoon to the Merchants Loan and Trust company of Chicago for $25,069.25, and at a rate of 5½ per cent interest, together with accrued interest.

There were but two bids. The other was submitted by the Farmers Trust company of Maryville. It was outbid by ½ per cent on interest rate and offered a premium of only $65.50, but made the accrued interest provision as did the successful firm.

While the $50,000 good roads issue voted last year by Polk township was sold at a rate of 5 per cent and a premium of approximately $100, it was explained by Fred P. Robinson, who handled the sale, that the conditions under which the Polk issue was offered were more favorable.

Considers Bid Good.

He said he considered the bid a good one and that he expected no better bid, considering financial conditions generally over the country. Members of the county court and delegation from Lincoln township, all voiced approval. Each member of the court thereupon voted to sell at 5½ per cent.

The interest will begin April 1. It is not believed any of the fund will be available before May 1, as the present township officers retire April 16, and it is not their intention to use any of the fund. The last bonds become due in 1929.

No Appointments Soon.

Those present from Lincoln township at the bond sale this afternoon were Grant Elrod, trustee; T. R. Livengood and N. I. Staples, members of the township board, and Mike Russell, clerk.

It is said the entire $25,000 bond issue and the duplication by the state can be well expended in that township for bridges and culverts. It provides that none of the fund can be used for bridges costing more than $100.

The county court met this afternoon in regular session. After selling the Lincoln bonds it took up road case hearings. Presiding Judge W. M. Blackford said the court would not fill any appointive county positions before the last half of this week.

Hamilton Teacher Here.

Chastain Harrell, principal of the schools at Hamilton, spent yesterday visiting friends in this city.

THE WEATHER

Rain or snow and colder tonight; Tuesday probably fair.

ROBERT EDESON IN

'WHERE THE TRAIL DIVIDES'

Tuesday, February 2

5 Acts, 320 Scenes, Ladies attending Tuesday will receive Souvenir Paramount Magazine.

THE FERN THEATRE 5 and 10 cents

Kipling's Vampire, "A FOOL THERE WAS" Wednesday, Feb. 10

Maryville Concert Band

Has Secured

May E. Stein

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Wednesday, Feb. 3 — Trip to Mars

Thursday, Feb. 4 — The Serpent and The Dove

The Band is under great expense in bringing the company here and merits your Patronage.

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Announcement.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. HENRY THORP.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. W. L. ROBEY.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. C. L. GANN.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. W. A. BURRIS.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for collector of Polk township, subject to the Republican nominating convention. CLARENCE GREEN.

Ira Bailey Route 5 Carrier.

Ira Bailey of Maryville, who has been "sub" carrier out of the local postoffice the past year, assumed the position of regular carrier on rural route 5 this morning, following his appointment a few days ago. There has been a rural carrier vacancy at the Maryville office since last April, when Roy Wray resigned as carrier on route No. 7.

Each of the seven routes is now covered by a regular carrier.

Clyde Farmers Lose Horses.

The corn stalk disease is widespread in this vicinity, as the following losses in cattle and horses show. William Ellerman and C. J. Merrigan each a valuable mare; Christopher Farnan and Thomas Keefe each a steer; Thomas Ranch lost two horses; Jess Headrick, four horses; Dan McQuinn, Maurice Egan, Horace Rainey each lost valuable horses; John Sturm lost two horses; Theo Derks, one mule.—Clyde Times.

Try Nodaway Suit Soon.

The Abbott-Linebaugh damage suit, transferred last fall from the circuit court of Nodaway county to that of Daviess county on a change of venue, will probably come up in Gallatin this week for action. The Daviess circuit court convened this morning.

Oregon Visitors Arrive.

The Rev. and Mrs. Morga of Oregon, Mo., arrived in the city at noon today to visit their son, the Rev. H. K. Morga, pastor of the Methodist church at Graham. They will be guests during their stay of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Knabb, who live northwest of Maryville.

Normal Hears European Talk.

Prof. H. A. Foster, head of the history department at the State Normal school, addressed the Normal students in assembly this morning on the European situation. He talked principally of the effect of the present European war on world conditions, its probable result and the causes leading up to it.

H. C. Conrad, chiropractor. No drugs, no knife. Over Ashford millinery.

Notice

All parties indebted to the estate of Dr. Geo. A. Nash will please call at once and SETTLE ACCOUNTS at Miss Nash's Studio, room 10, Michau Building

MANY OCTOGENARIANS THERE.

Grant City, With Population of 1,500, Has 17 from 80 to 90 Years Old.

If longevity is suggestive of health, climate and correct habits of living, then Grant City measures up fully to the standard. In a population of about 1,500 there are seventeen persons whose ages run from 80 to 90 years. All are in fairly good health. Some of the men are still engaged in business pursuits.

Hopkins Farmers Like Alfalfa.

Quite a number of Hopkins farmers are falling in love with the alfalfa crop, especially since they have been paying $16 a ton for that shipped in from Kansas.

S. C. Ramsey, on the old George Oxley farm, put in fifteen acres last year and will put in fifteen acres more this year.

Several other farmers contemplate putting in from five to ten acres.—Hopkins Journal.

Townsend's February

Sales of Pure Foods will be Figured at close to Cost Prices

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Fresh Bread, 3 loaves	10c
Eagle Milk, can	13c
2½-lb cans California Peaches, Plums, White Grapes or Apricots	11c
35c cans California Peaches, Pears, Apricots or White Cherries	19c
Bushel Good Cooking Apples	$1.00
Barrel freshly sorted Apples	$2.85
California Navel Oranges, medium size, 10 for	15c
1 lb good bulk Roasted Coffee, worth 20c for	12c
6 bright new Breakfast Mackerel	25c
1 lb new crop (just arrived) 40c to 50c Gunpowder Tea	18c
Quart cans Solid Tomatoes	8c
No. 2 cans Solid Tomatoes	6c
10c jars Peanut Butter, 2 for	15c
California Prunes, 5 lbs	49c
Pickled Pork, good pieces, lb	10c
Best Hams (skin off), lb	15c
35c Mistletoe Bacon, whole pieces,	28c
20c cans Honey Bee, finest Corn packed, 2 for	25c
15c cans VanCamp's Country Gent Corn	11c
Compound Lard, any amount, lb	10c
Best Sour Kraut, any amount, gal	15c
White Catawba Grape Juice, quart,	45c
Waukesha Ginger Ale, finest, quarts, 2 for	45c
Fairwood Peas, finest sifted, sweet and tender, worth 20c, per can,	13c; doz $1.45
Early June Peas, 2 cans	15c
Seal of Minnesota Flour, 48-lb sacks for	$1.85
Tango package Teas, Gunpowder or Japan, extra fancy grade, per package	10c, 15c and 25c
No. 1 cans finest Pineapple, sliced or grated, 2 for Limit of 2 cans.	15c
Smoked Herring, skinless and boneless, lb	20c
Smoked Bloaters, 6 for	25c
Celery, 2 for	15c
Finest quality Lettuce, lb	25c
Large Spanish Onions, 6 lbs	25c
Best Northern Cabbage, 100 lbs	$1.60
Pure Cream Cheese, our best, lb, 20c; 5 lbs	90c
Buckwheat Flour, absolutely pure, 10lb sacks	50c
25c box Pastry Flour	20c
25c box Whole Wheat Flour	20c
Coal Oil, 2 gallons, 15c; 5 gallons	35c
Gasoline (at store), 2 gallons, 25c; 5 gallons	60c
McLaren's Pimento Cheese, jar	15c
Orth's Onion Salad, large jar	10c
Orth's Cream or Horse Radish, 2 bottles	15c

Townsend's

Fourth and Main Streets.
Deliveries leave store 9 and 11 a. m., 3 and 5 p. m.

BEES CERTIFY TO RIPENESS OF HONEY

Extracting Honey.

(By F. G. HERMAN.)

When nectar is gathered it is thin and watery. The heat of the hive, aided by the manipulation of the bees, gradually reduces the nectar to thick, "ripe" honey. When the honey is ripe the bees seal it over. That is their finishing touch which proclaims that it is ready for market, or for use. While there is an excess of water in the honey, the bees will not seal it over. They will leave it to evaporate.

This process of evaporation is the ripening process. As it goes on, the honey gets thicker and heavier, until it has reached the proper density. Then, as already remarked, the bees certify to its ripeness by sealing it over.

After honey has been thoroughly ripened in the hive and is then removed, its future palatableness depends entirely upon the care that it receives. Too many look at honey as simple sweet, like cane sugar, forgetting that its flavor, its aroma, are its chief attractions, and honey, when first taken from the hive, has very distinctly the flavor of the flowers from which it was gathered.

Each variety of blossoms gives a distinctive flavor. By tasting of honey an expert can very readily tell from what class of blossoms it was gathered.

Thoroughly ripened, extracted honey should be at once put into bottles, cans or barrels, and sealed up tight, and then put in a dry place. It will of course, soon candy or crystallize, but the flavor will be retained indefinitely and the honey can be liquefied whenever it is needed for use.

Care must be exercised in melting the honey that the flavor is not injured by the application of too great heat. Of course, the honey will not be burned if it is not heated hotter than boiling water, but the application of so great a heat as this rapidly drives off the flavor.

Keeping the package closed and applying a very gentle heat, never above 150 degrees, is the better way. Putting up the honey in such packages as can easily be put into warm water makes the liquefying more convenient.

When reliquefying granulated honey place the receptacle containing the honey into a vessel of water and place a few thin strips of wood between the bottom of the two cans.

The honey should be kept at a heated temperature for at least three or four hours (according to size of receptacle) to insure perfect liquefying. Any granules which are not thoroughly dissolved will hasten the solidifying of honey.

Light and cold are two elements which also have an undesired effect. Probably the best condition for preserving honey is to keep it warm, dry and dark, similar to its condition inside of the bee hive.

Honey has a great affinity for moisture, and if comb honey is stored in a damp atmosphere it will absorb the moisture through the lightly porous cappings and become thin and watery. The bulk of the honey will be so increased that it will burst the cells and ooze out. The honey may become so thin that fermentation may set in.

Cold is also detrimental to comb honey, causing it to candy in the cells. When comb honey is first taken from the hives it should be stored in a hot, dry atmosphere.

Very few people know how to keep honey. The average housewife will usually put the honey in the cellar or into the refrigerator for safe keeping. About the two worst places possible. Honey is kept very differently from fruit.

Honey is thoroughly ripe when taken from the hive and will therefore not ferment unless it is placed in a cool moist place.

A great many have not learned that it is just as important to take proper care of the honey and put it on the market in first class condition as it is to use the best and most economical means of securing it.

One of the essentials of proper care is keeping the honey in a very dry and warm place; especially is this true of comb honey or extracted honey in open cans. Honey taints very easily and for this reason I prefer that as little smoke as possible be used when taking it from the hive.

INSTALLS TAXI SERVICE

Knox Garage Places New Style Car in Operation—Is Not a "Jitney."

Leo B. Knox, proprietor of the Knox garage, on the south side of the square, has received a new Ford taxicab style motor car, of five-passenger size, which he has placed in service. The new car was received Saturday night and immediately was put into operation. It is Mr. Knox's intention to only use the taxicab on calls, and not to make regular "runs."

A charge of 25 cents per passenger to or from any part of the city has been announced. The belief that the "jitney" had invaded Maryville therefore is unfounded.

Act on Two County Estates.

John F. Roelofson, public administrator, was appointed administrator of the estate of Mrs. Phoebe A. Johnson, who died December 28, at Hopkins, by Probate Judge W. H. Conn, last Saturday afternoon. The estate is small.

Warren J. Campbell has been appointed curator of the estate of his daughter, Ida Marie Campbell, a minor, of near Barnard, by Probate Judge Conn. The estate was left her on the deaht of an uncle recently.

Harmony Begins Revival.

Evangelistic meetings of two weeks duration were begun in the Harmony Community church yesterday under the direction of Dr. C. L. Nisbet of Merrill, Wis. The Rev. C. R. Green, pastor, and several Maryville ministers will assist in the Harmony revival series.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Grant City Begins Course.

A university extension course will be held at Grant City this week, beginning today and closing February 5. Professors L. F. Childers and S. T. Simpson, both of the state university, will deliver four lectures each day.

A. D. Arnett Ill.

A. D. Arnett, proprietor of the Arnett Decorating company, has been very ill for several days with a threatened attack of pneumonia.

Miss Mary McCall visited friends in St. Joseph yesterday.

Duty of Every Farmer.

No man who farms should begrudge the time he spends in grading, dragging and ditching the highways. He must use them 12 months in the year. Every day's work makes them a little better if the work is done intelligently.

In many localities the merchants have aided in the work of road betterment, and it seems ridiculous that their efforts should be distrusted by the farmers.

Importance of Movement.

Of the 2,000 miles of public roads in the United States only about 200,000 miles have been given a hard surface.

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True Civilization.

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WILL INSPECT SALE STOCK.

State Veterinarians to Examine Cattle and Hogs for Foot and Mouth Disease.

The following announcement has been issued by Jewell Mayes, secretary of the state board of agriculture:

"The numerous and complicated state and federal quarantine regulations on account of foot and mouth disease are greatly hindering the movement of live stock from Missouri to other states. Changes in these regulations are made so frequently that it is impossible to keep deputy state veterinarians informed on the details of their requirements.

It has, therefore, been decided to have Dr. D. F. Luckey, the state veterinarian, or one of the regular deputies, as far as possible, to attend public sales of pure bred hogs and cattle from which animals will probably be shipped to other states, to explain the various quarantine regulations, make inspections for interstate shipment and issue shipment permits without charge.

This arrangement, which is only a temporary one, does not cover the sale of horses or sheep.

To Attend National Conference.

The Rev. R. L. Finch, pastor of the First Christian church, left this morning for Des Moines, Ia., where he will attend a national conference of Bible school workers, to be held in that city tomorrow.

Visits in St. Joseph.

G. B. Holmes, Jr., spent the day yesterday in St. Joseph visiting his brother, Dan Holmes, and family.

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Comes the frequent need of consulting an Optician.

Most eldery people find their eyes changing from year to year.

This is natural, and calls for a more frequent change of lenses than is neccessary in earlier years.

If you need Optical assistance at all, you need My Kind.

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HOPKINS ITEMS.

Dan Tooher has lost four horse with the cornstalk disease.

Mrs. Dave Dalrymple, who was i last week, is improved.

George W. Demott and family o Maryville visited at Hopkins last week

Elder Frain of Gravity, Ia., wil preach at Mt. Vernon, east of Hopkins next Sunday. Everyone is invited.

About thirty-five neighbors and rel atives were entertained at Ed Sheley Monday night.

Dave Dalrymple and George Ulme Jr., bought a car load of alfalfa and car load of corn last week.

The box and pie social at the Xeni school house Friday night was well a tended.

There will be a box and pie suppe at the Independence school on th night of February 12. Miss Rhod Brown is the teacher.

Ellsworth Thompson shipped tw car loads of hogs to St. Joseph las week.

Mrs. Ed Coleman is at a St. Josep hospital, where she underwent an op eration for tumor.

Harry and Charles Gonser have lo three valuable horses with cornstal disease last week.

Miss Lula Shelton has returned fro a three weeks visit with her uncl George Gray, of Iowa.

A Statement.

"The party who sent in to The Democrat-Forum Tuesday of last week th account of a comfort tacking at m home should find out if there was ot before sending such a notice. If any one has any spite towards me, don put it in the newspaper. Come to m face and be a man about it. In takin any other means you hurt yoursel worse than anyone else.

"CHESTER FERGUSON,
"Burlington Junction."

Occasionally, as in the above in stance, notices come to The Democrat Forum office which are unsigned o fictitiously signed. The anonymous writer of news cannot be recognized Such attempts at practical joking cre ate ill feeling with the parties an makes the newspaper the victim, i such communications "get through." In most cases such attempts are de tected and the news ends in the wast basket. To avoid any possibility of er ror, and that it's policy of absolut truth telling will not be violated, th Democrat-Forum refuses to use an news, business, personal or socia which is not authentically signed. Th sender's name will not be printed i any case, but it must appear with th article if the article is published. W want the news, but we want the tru happenings only.

Cecil Goforth visited his parents i Barnard yesterday.

Hosmer's Monthly Stock Sale

Gray's Sale Pavilion, Maryville, Mo.

Saturday, Feb. 6, 1915

The following property will be sold:

50 Head of Horses, Mares and Mules—All sizes, classes and ages. A Special consignment of Mules listed by Frank Ulmer of Pickering. 14 head of 2 and 3 year old mules, nearly all mares, 15½ to 16½ hands high and are a good quality—lot that will surely suit anybody.

40 Head of Milch Cows and Stock Cattle. 15 Head of extra good heavy springers listed by E. H. Bainum, 5 head by Wm. Thornhill.

What do you want to sell? List it in this sale. I will have the buyers and the stock, so don't forget the date, time and place.

Sale starts at 1 p. m. Prompt

R. P. Hosmer
"The Auctioneer"

INDIGESTION, GAS OR SICK, SOUR STOMACH

Time It!—"Pape's Diapepsin" Makes Your Upset, Bloated Stomach Feel Fine in Five Minutes.

"Really does" put bad stomachs in order—"really does" overcome indigestion, dyspepsia, gas, heartburn and sourness in five minutes—that—just that—makes Pape's Diapepsin the largest selling stomach regulator in the world. If what you eat ferments into stubborn lumps, you belch gas and eructate sour, undigested food and acid; head is dizzy and aches; breath foul; tongue coated; your insides filled with bile and indigestible waste, remember the moment "Pape's Diapepsin" comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes. It's truly astonishing—almost marvelous, and the joy s its harmlessness.

A large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin will give you a hundred dollars' worth of satisfaction or your druggist hands you your money back.

It's worth its weight in gold to men and women who can't get their stomachs regulated. It belongs in your home—should always be kept handy in case of a sick, sour, upset stomach during the day or at night. It's the quickest, surest and most harmless stomach doctor in the world.

GAYNOR NEWS.

Miss Lora Nigh is visiting relatives at Pattonsburg and Maryville.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist church met Thursday afternoon and spent the time quilting. Those present were Mesdames Reddick, Nigh, New, Potter, Husbands, Hart, Roy Nigh, Cooper, Mabel Hart, Bosch, Claude and Miss Lucile Husbands.

Miss Brumfield of Sheridan is employed in the telephone central office.

Harley Owens and family and Mrs. Hendry moved to Hopkins last week.

Ernest Nigh helped Delmar New haul hay Friday.

Mr. Cross has opened a blacksmith shop at Gaynor.

Sherman Munn, Delmar New and Byron Archer delivered hogs to Parnell last week.

The Young People's club of the Christian church met at Joe Alexander's Wednesday evening.

Elmer Montgomery left Tuesday for Columbia to attend the Missouri state university.

Mrs. Daugherty and Eva Hollensbeck are both ill.

Miss Ada May Clayton visited Miss Gladys Tilson and Miss Helen Tilson in St. Joseph Saturday and Sunday.

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BATTLE IN SENATE ON SHIPPING BILL

Republicans Continue Filibuster Against Measure.

MUCH DISCUSSION IN CAPITAL

Secretary Bryan Asserts Report That Sir Edward Grey Told United States That Buying of Teuton Ships Unneutral Is Untrue.

Washington, Feb. 1.—After an armistice over Sunday in the battle over the administration shipping bill, the senate resumed consideration of the measure this morning, with the Republicans continuing their filibuster and the administration leaders determined to press the bill.

Diplomatic phases of the proposed purchase of ships by the United States government were widely discussed as a result of the publication of a report that Sir Edward Grey had informed the state department that such purchases if including German or Austrian ships would be regarded as constituting an unneutral act.

It was stated positively at the state department, as well as the British embassy, that no communication on the subject had been received from Sir Edward. Not only has the American government not asked or received the formal views of Great Britain, but no expressions of an official character have come from either Russia or France.

References have been made to the subject of transfers of flag in diplomatic correspondence over the steamship Dacia and previously over the Brindilla, but these are held by the state department not to be parallel cases, as they involve transactions between private individuals, whereas the bill pending in the senate would make the United States government a party to any purchase of vessels made under it.

CHILDREN TO AID IN RELIEF

Twenty Million Youngsters Will Make Selves Useful as Collectors.

New York, Feb. 1.—The enlistment of the 20,000,000 children of the United States in an army of helpfulness to relieve suffering both in this country and Europe is the purpose of a movement which is announced here by a committee of educators of nation-wide reputation. It includes Charles Eliot, president emeritus of Harvard university, and David Starr Jordan, president of the National Educational association.

It is the belief of those interested in the plan that evil influences in the schools of the United States are arising from the war. "Influences of lying, hatred and murder are moulding the lives of America's 20,000,000 children," says an announcement of the committee's plans, "which tend to crush out truth, justice and love.

"In many of our schools we even forbid all discussion of the war. We cannot, however, hide this war from our children nor keep its destructive influences from their lives.

"With a nation-wide relief movement of our children we can turn their minds from destructive murder to helpful life-giving and build on the terrible need the strongest, most helpful race of men and women the world has ever known.

"The school children are organized, and can begin immediately on relief work. They can raise at least $1,000,000 without burden on any one, as the funds will be raised in small sums—the people's gift through their children. They can make millions of needed articles of clothing and other things."

Aftermath of Big Bank Suspension.

Uniontown, Pa., Feb. 1.—Following the closing twelve days ago of the First National bank of Uniontown by its directors the county court judges have appointed receivers for J. V. Thompson, widely known coal land operator and president of the bank, and eleven other coal land dealers, all residents of Fayette county. The assets of these twelve men total $36,126,500, while their liabilities, according to the court records, are $12,144,175.

Detectives Are Acquitted.

Atlanta, Feb. 1.—A verdict of not guilty was returned by a jury here in the case of Dan S. Lehon, C. C. Tedder and Arthur Thurman, charged with subornation of perjury in connection with the Leo M. Frank case. Lehon is southern manager of the Burns detective agency. Tedder formerly was employed by the agency and Thurman is a lawyer.

Get License to Wed.

Carl Mitchell, 26 years old, of Burlington Junction, was granted a license to marry late Saturday afternoon in the office of the recorder of deeds, to Miss Anna Lee Linebaugh, 20 years old, of Clearmont.

Official Board to Meet.

The official board of the First Methodist church will meet tomorrow night at the parsonage, on South Main street, with the Rev. Gilbert S. Cox as host.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

MACKENZIE KING.

Labor Investigator For Rockefeller Foundation Directs Colorado Probe.

STEAMSHIP DACIA SAILS FOR EUROPE

Vessel Laden With Cotton Starts on Journey From Galveston.

Galveston, Feb. 1.—The steamship Dacia departed at noon from Galveston for Rotterdam with 11,000 bales of cotton to be transhipped to Bremen.

Telegraphic orders to get under way were received by Captain George McDonald from E. N. Breiting of New York, the owner. In two hours the vessel had taken on a pilot and was outside the harbor.

The Dacia cleared Jan. 22. Its delay here is yet unexplained, as its agent and master said they did not know why it was waiting. The Dacia's cotton cargo is valued by the shippers at $880,000, or 16 cents a pound laid down in Bremen.

DEMANDS MADE BY JAPAN

Nippon Government Don't Want Any Territory From China.

Peking, Feb. 1.—The Japanese minister to China, M. Hioki, was questioned concerning the political demands made by Japan upon China following the occupation by Japanese troops of the Kiauchau territory, demands which are now under discussion between the two countries.

He denied that Japan had demanded the cession of any territory of China. He explained that his government was pledged by its alliance with Great Britain to maintain the territorial integrity of China and he said further that the demands made by Japan did not interfere in any way with the rights enjoyed by other nations.

URGED TO TAKE ALL WHEAT

British Trades Unions Advocate Measure to Keep Prices Down.

London, Feb. 1.—The General Federation of Trades unions, in a document issued regarding the high prices of food in the United Kingdom, recommends chiefly that the British government take over all wheat supplies, as has been done by Germany.

"The British farmer," the document reads, "would suffer no real hardship or loss if the government commandeered the whole home grown and unmarketed wheat at $10.50 a quarter, and immediate action on these lines would tend to moderate prices."

Tennessee Brings Refugees From Jaffa

Washington, Feb. 1.—The cruiser Tennessee arrived at Alexandria, Egypt, with 1,000 refugees from Jaffa, on the Syrian coast, and reported to the navy department. The cruiser North Carolina remained at Beirut to guard American interests there.

CHAMP CLARK WANTS WEALTH DISTRIBUTED

Chicago, Feb. 1.—The phenomenal growth of the United States was the theme of an address given here by Champ Clark, speaker of the house of representatives, at a banquet of the Chicago Dental society. He said:

"In 113 years our total wealth multiplied 125 fold and is now rated at the enormous sum of $140,000,000,000, which, if equally distributed, would give $1,312 to every man, woman and child between the two oceans.

"But there is the rub, for while a few are rich beyond the dream of avarice, many have not the wherewithal to food and clothe themselves.

"I am fain to believe the crowning glory of the twentieth century will be a scheme whereby every man and every woman, too, shall enjoy the usufruct of his own labor and to prevent one greedy soul from monopolizing the toil and sweat and lives of the thousands."

SOCIETY AND CLUBLAND

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Calendar.

The Westminster Guild will meet Tuesday night with Mrs. Walter Hanson, 411 East Sixth street.

The Mutual Improvement Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. John Lorance, 115 South Buchanan street, Tuesday afternoon.

The All Sew Club will meet this week on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Frank Murray, 1202 East Jenkins street.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the First Methodist church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Compton on North Main street. Assisting hostesses will be Mrs. S. H. Kemp, Mrs. M. Rittenour and Mrs. A. T. Clark.

The conference departments of the Twentieth Century club will be held at eight o'clock Thursday night at the Elks club with the Modern Drama department as entertainers.

The Ladies Aid society of the Buchanan Street Methodist church will meet in the church at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon.

A missionary tea will be given Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. A. Burris, 107 North Buchanan street, by the Woman's Missionary society of the First Baptist church.

The C. W. B. M. of the First Christian church will meet at two o'clock Friday afternoon with Mrs. J. D. Dickerson on East Sixth street. Mrs. C. C. Barbour will be leader.

Cleve J. Funk, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve J. Funk announce the birth of their son yesterday, to whom they have given the name, Cleve J., Jr.

Joined Matinee Party.

Mrs. E. L. Ferritor and daughter, Mary, returned Saturday night from St. Joseph, where they were the guests of a party of friends at the matinee production of "Everywoman" at the Lyceum theater Saturday.

Entertains Card Club.

Miss Elizabeth Turner entertained the members of the Monday Afternoon auction bridge club with a card luncheon at her apartments on South Main street this afternoon. Mrs. George B. Baker was a complimentary guest.

Miss Stundon Hostess.

Miss Mary Stundon was the hostess of a dinner party given yesterday noon at which she entertained Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lund of Shenandoah, Ia., Miss Rose Johnson, Miss Gertrude Kirch, Miss Emma Jane Crandall and Miss Florence Anderson.

Gives Kensington.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Presbyterian church will be entertained by the executive committee of the society at a dime kensington Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. H. Bainum, 302 East Fourth street.

Valentine Social.

The February social committee of the Christian Endeavor society of the First Christian church will entertain the members of the society and their friends with a valentine party tonight at the home of John McDougal, 822 East First street.

Dinner Party.

Miss Edith Wilson was the hostess of a dinner party given Sunday noon to observe her birthday anniversary. Plates were laid for Miss Besse Scott, Miss Hazel Lake, Miss Hilda Lahr, Miss Anna Parle, Miss Inez Hall, Dr. and Mrs. D. C. Wilson and the hostess.

Attend House Party.

Miss Vada Foland of this city and her guest, Miss Ruth Paddock of Amity returned this morning from Skidmore, where they were guests at a week-end house party given by Misses Mattie and Eula Strickler and Miss Lola Mitchell.

Miss Morford Entertains.

Miss Stella Morford entertained the H. H. H. club of Pickering with a kensington Friday afternoon. Those who enjoyed the occasion were Miss Hazel Burk, Miss Myrtle Null, Miss Bessie Ashford, Miss Eugenia Hull, Miss Edith Jones, Miss Stella Wilson, Miss Leafa Nickeson of Jamesport and Miss Ethel May Hull.

Meeting Postponed.

The meeting of the Music department of the Twentieth Century club, which was to have been held this afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Montgomery, 204 East Thompson street, has been postponed until Monday of next week, when it will meet at the same time and place.

To Give Piano Program.

The pupils recital to be given tonight at the Maryville Conservatory of Music will present a splendid program. One of the features will be a quartet, using two pianos the players being Miss Ruth Reuillard, Miss Hazel Everhart, Miss Eleanor Smith and Miss Grace Sturm. The pupils giving piano numbers will be William McDougal, Ned Colbert, Justine Fraser, Inez Hall, Mary Miller, Helen Curfman and Dorothy McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hosts.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton C. Frank were the hosts of a dinner given at 1 o'clock yesterday, in compliment to Mrs. O. W. Lawrence of Kansas City and Mrs. Ross of Canton. Plates were laid for the Rev. and Mrs. Robert L. Finch, Mrs. Lawrence and daughter, Hester; Mrs. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brink, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bellows, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Schuler, Prof. C. A. Hawkins and Mr and Mrs. Frank. Mrs. Lawreuce and daughter and Mrs. Ross left this morning for Kansas City.

Reception for Visitors.

A reception was given Saturday afternoon in the parlors of the First Christian church by the C. W. B. M. and the Mission Circle in compliment to Mrs. Ross of Canton and Mrs. O. W. Lawrence of Kansas City, eminent workers in the mission field, who spent several days visiting in the city. A short program, which included devotions by Mrs. C. B. Roberts, several vocal solos by Mrs. F. P. Robinson and talks by Mrs. Lawrence and Mrs. Ross were given, and the remainder of the afternoon was spent informally. Tea was served at 4 o'clock. Nearly one hundred guests were entertained.

Club Holds Final Meet.

The Dew Drop Inn club held a pleasant meeting Friday night, January 22, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Noakes. During the entertaining hours Mrs. Harry Noakes assisted the hosts. The members present were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Farrar and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Baker and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Noakes and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Noakes and family. On account of the inclement weather the meetings of the club will be postponed until April.

In Compliment to Dakota Visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Fayette Bellows entertained the members of the Tuesday Afternoon bridge club, their husbands and a few other friends with a valentine card party Saturday night. The rooms were attractive with decorations of red hearts and valentine favors and similar colors and designs were used as place markers and tally cards. The guests were bidden in compliment to Mrs. C. C. Banks of Lansford, N. D., a sister of Mrs. Bellows, who is their guest for a few weeks. The game prizes were won by Mrs. William Wallis, Jr., and George B. Baker. The guests were Mrs. Banks, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Beattie, Mr. and Mrs. George B. Baker, Dr. and Mrs. D. J Thomas, Dr. and Mrs. William Wallis, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Forsyth, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Chandler, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Smiley, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Martin, Miss Della Grems, Miss Clara Sturm, Miss Mae Orear, Lou Grems, Harvey L. Haines, P. O. Landon and Paul Sisson.

Twentieth Wedding Anniversary.

Saturday marked the twentieth anniversary of the wedding day of Mr. and Mrs. John C. White, who live west of Maryville, and to celebrate the day, they entertained a large party of friends in the evening with a domino party. In entertaining, the hosts were assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Lewis White, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. White and Miss Clydell White. The members of the Country Club presented Mr. and Mrs.

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This Week is Redfern Week

Jot it down in your memory—it is an event worth attending—and don't fail to come in some time during the week.

Miss Ida Lewis, an associate designer of Redfern Corsets, is with us and will give you many valuable suggestions about corsets, how to wear them, and the corset for your particular type of figure—suggestions that will mean a great deal to your health and appearance. Come in the morning, if possible, as the section will be less crowded then.

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In Glass Humidors 50c and 90c

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BUSINESS COLLEGE NEWS.

Glen Ulmer returned to school last Monday, after an absence of a week on account of the illness and death of his grandfather.

Miss Della Hook entered school last Monday and will take the combined course.

Quite a number of students have secured positions since the first of the year. The following is a partial list: Misses Marvel Brown, Lula Miller and Bertha Henderson, with the Standard Poland-China Record association; Miss Gertrude Peters, stenographer with Ratekin's seed house, Shenandoah, Ia.; Miss Ethel Hoyt, stenographer, with the Lisle Manufacturing Co., Clarinda, Ia.; Miss Frances Pugh, stenographer, judge of probate office, Gallatin, Mo.; Miss Mabel Neal, bookkeeper, Fisher & McMurry garage; Mr. Ernest Hartness, bookkeeper, Forsyth meat market.

Irvil Stafford, one of our former students, is back for some review work. Clarence Herndon is also taking some review work.

Considerable enthusiasm has been aroused among the typewriting students this year. Many of them are working for the pennants and certificates issued by the Remington and Underwood Typewriting companies. The following have won Remington pennants: Miss Hoyt, Miss Bertha Henderson and Miss Carstens. Miss Carstens has also won the Remington certificate and card case. Miss Logan has won the Underwood certificate.

Features This Week at the Fern.

Tuesday—Jesse L. Lasky presents Robert Edison in "Where the Trail Divides."

Thursday—Famous Players present Margaret Clark in "The Crucible."

Friday—Shubert-Brady present Vivian Martin in "The Wishing Ring."

Coming February 10—Kipling's famous poem, "The Vampire;" "A Fool There Was."

Date changed on "Your Girl and Mine" to February 15.

Returns to St. Joseph.

Miss Rena Long, a teacher in the St. Joseph schools, returned to her home this morning, after a week-end visit in Maryville, as the guest of Miss Ruth Matter.

Son Born to Arnolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Delta Arnold of Clearmont are the parents of a son born yesterday.

CLOSING OUT SALE

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction at the farm 6 miles east and 1½ south of Maryville, and 2¼ miles northeast of Bedison on

FRIDAY, FEB. 5

the followinw property:—

6 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—1 yearling filly, 1 span of yearling mare mules, 2 weanling mare mules and 1 weanling mare colt. These are an extra good lot and will sure suit you.

12 HEAD OF CATTLE—8 head of milk cows, 1 fresh; 1 yearling, 3 spring calves.

28 HEAD OF HOGS—8 head of brood sows to farrow in April. 20 head of stock hogs.

FEED, HAY, ETC.—800 or 900 bushels of corn, 400 bushels of oats, 10 or 12 tons hay, oats straw stack, some fodder, 20 bushels CHOICE SEED CORN.

IMPLEMENTS, ETC.—Manure spreader, mower, stalk cutter, rake, sulky plow, 2 harrows, bob-sled, cultivator, buggy, wagon, road drag. Some native lumber, 400 or 500 HEDGE POSTS galvanized water tank, U. S. cream separator, 2 stoves and other things too numerous to mention.

Lunch by Ladies of Mt. Ayr Church.

TERMS—All sums of $10 and under cash, over that amount 6 months time on bankable note at 8 per cent from date. No property removed until terms are complied with.

R. P. HOSMER, Auctioneer. J. D. RICHEY, Clerk.

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NEWS OF SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

(Continued from page 3.)

White with a set of sterling silver knives and forks and many individual gifts were given them to observe the occasion. The evening's enjoyment was concluded with the serving of a two course supper. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Trullinger, Mr. and Mrs. Lige Grooms, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Noakes, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. White, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis White, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Croy, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Knabb, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Farrar, Mr. and Mrs. William Job, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Willhoyt, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Shell, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Willhoyte, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Scott, Mrs. Mary J. Wilhoyte, Miss Wilma Hall, Miss Leora Willhoyte, Miss Clydell White, Jean Hope Croy, Roberta Willhoyte, Raymond Job, Byron Croy, Jr., Ernest Willhoyte, Virgil Groom, Robert Noakes, Jr., Emery and Amos Shell and Eldon Job.

A. G. Hoag, agent of the Adams Express company, visited his mother in St. Joseph yesterday.

I. B. Williams visited in St. Joseph yesterday.

A Little Wagon Heater

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NEW POLICY OF THE GERMANS

Great Armies of the Teuton Allies Engaged In Heavy Fighting With Russians to Prevent Invasion—Turkish General and Staff Captured.

WAR SUMMARY

In Poland, East Prussia and the Carpathians extended operations continue without, so far as is known, any decisive advantage being attained by any of the contestants.

In the western arena there is a comparative lull, only the artillery being engaged on most of the front.

Emperor William, who has returned to Berlin, is said to be suffering from the throat affection which has on several occasions given him trouble.

Fresh German troops are concentrating in Belgium to make another attempt to pierce the allies' lines in Flanders.

The German submarine U-21 sank three steamers in the Irish sea near Liverpool. A German submarine also has torpedoed two British steamers in the English channel off Havre.

London, Feb. 1.—The steamer Leinster, from Holyhead to Kingstown, reports that it was chased by a German submarine for fifteen minutes off the Kish lightship, but succeeded in escaping. The Kish lightship is opposite the mouth to Dublin bay.

Two British vessels were torpedoed by a German submarine, in addition to the Ben Cruachen and the Linda Blanche, whose sinking was reported previously.

This was made known in the following statement given out by the French ministry of marine:

"The British steamship Tokomaru has been sunk by a torpedo from a German submarine. The English vessel Icaria also was torpedoed in the same locality in the Irish sea in which the English steamers Linda Blanche and Ben Cruachen were torpedoed.

"Hitherto the Germans before attacking a merchant vessel always allowed the crews sufficient time to embark in the ship's boats. That custom has now been abandoned, as is shown by the bombardment of the Admiral Gantheume, which was filled with Belgium women and children refugees. The German marine has decided to violate systematically international law."

The crew of the British steamer Kilcone has been landed on the Isle of Man, in the Irish sea, by the coasting steamer Gladys. The crew reports that the Kilcone was struck by a submarine. The Kilcone was a small steamer of 465 tons.

German Troops Aid Austrians.

For the fourth time since the beginning of the war, the Carpathian mountains between Dukla and Wyszkow passes form the scene of a pitched battle. The previous battles were between Russians and Austro-Hungarians, but in that which is now developing the Austrians and Hungarians have the assistance of the German armies and are assuming a vigorous offensive.

Despite this, the Russian reports assert that the preliminary fighting has turned to the advantage of Russia and that prisoners and guns have been captured.

Take Turk General.

The Russians have inflicted another defeat on the Turks in the Sari-Kamysh region, where, during a snowstorm, they crossed a mountain and after heavy fighting, captured the commanding general and his staff of the Thirteenth Turkish division and a large quantity of war material. To add to the difficulties of the Ottoman army, the Russian fleet has resumed its activities in the Black sea and has bombarded the Turkish barracks at Trebizond and Rizah, besides sinking several Turkish sailing vessels used as transports.

Except in the neighborhood of La Bassee and in the Argonne, where the Germans have resumed their attack, artillery has been the only arm engaged on the western front. The Germans again claim to have captured some trenches near La Bassee, while the French say that the British have reoccupied all the ground which had been temporarily lost.

Tornado Sweeps East Side of Tulsa.

Tulsa, Okla., Feb. 1.—A tornado swept the east side of Tulsa, injuring five persons. Mrs. Ida Mangan probably will die. Two large oil tanks were set on fire by lightning and several houses were demolished.

Berlin Bankers Give Hospital Train.

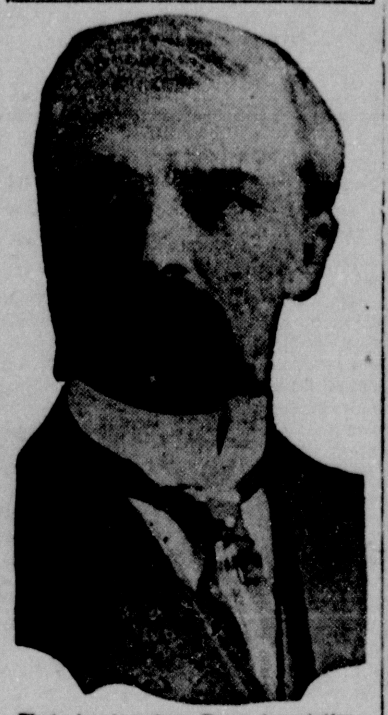
Rotterdam, Feb. 1.—A firm of Berlin bankers has presented to the crown prince a completely outfitted hospital train of thirty-six cars. It cost $25,000 and will be used for the wounded from the crown prince's army.

Court Will Hold Night Sessions.

Chicago, Feb. 1.—Night sessions of the Chicago court of domestic relations are to be held once every two weeks, beginning Thursday.

SENATOR WALSH.

Montana Man Who Warmly Supports Administration's Ship Purchase Bill In Speech.



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FRENCH ARTILLERY SCORES ADVANTAGE

Work Damage at Arras, Roye, Soissons, Rheims and Perthes.

Paris, Feb. 1.—The French war office issued the following statement of the progress of the war:

"The struggle during the day was confined on almost every front to artillery combats. The cannonading was very intense on one side or the other at numerous points. Our artillery has everywhere secured the advantage.

"Before La Bassee, the British army retook all the trenches which it momentarily lost. The Germans have cannonaded the belfry and church of Fonquevillers (to the south of Arras).

"In the sectors of Arras, Roye, Soissons, Rheims and Perthes our batteries have destroyed two of the enemy's piers, several field works, a certain number of lance bombs and dispersed several concentrations of troops, bivouacs and convoys.

"In the Argonne, in the woods of La Grurie, where our troops were obliged on the 29th to retreat slightly, as already reported, the Germans delivered near Fontaine Madame three new attacks, which were repulsed.

"From the Argonne to the Vosges, there has been no change. We hold, notably near Badonville, the village of Angement, which the Germans pretended to have occupied."

Russians Repulse German Attacks.

Petrograd Feb. 1.—The Russian general staff gave out the following statement:

"In the region of the forests north of Pilkallen and Gumbinnen, East Prussia, the battles continue. Here in the region of the village of Lebegalen we repulsed the Germans by a counter attack with bayonets.

"On the left bank of the Vistula, at the approaches to Borjimow, the Germans repeated their attacks upon our positions, but were everywhere thrown back with great losses, except at one trench, which remained in the hands of the enemy. In the region of the village of Jidomitze, two German attempts to take the offensive failed.

"On the Carpathian front, in the passes of Dukla and Vyszkow, the fighting is gradually assuming the character of a general battle."

Germans Take Trenches.

Berlin, Feb. 1.—The following statement was issued at army headquarters:

"In Flanders there were artillery duels only. At Guinchy, south of the high road between La Bassee and Bethune, and near Carency, northwest of Arras, the Germans took some French trenches. On the East Prussian frontier there were no events of importance. In Poland, near Borjimow, to the east of Lodz, a Russian attack was repulsed."

SPEAKS FOR NAVY BIG ENOUGH TO AID

New York, Feb. 1.—The necessity for an adequate navy kept at a high point of efficiency was argued by Franklin D. Roosevelt, assistant secretary of the navy, and George von L. Meyer, former secretary of the navy, the principal speakers at a luncheon by the Republican club here.

"There is no harm in saying that our navy is third largest today, and that France and Japan are progressing," said Mr. Roosevelt. "The future of the navy is in your hands and in the hands of your congressmen, but, unfortunately, many people do not know who are our congressmen. If we had not an adequate navy it would mean the loss of Hawaii, American Samoa, Porto Rico, the Panama canal and the Philippines."

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FOR RENT—Two modern houses, desirable locations, in good repair. Fred Kurtz, phone 649. 29-1

FOR RENT—6-room house on South Market street. Call or phone D. L. Denning, 208 South Walnut. 1-3

For Sale.

FOR SALE—Improved 5-acre tract near town. S. H. Kemp. 30-2

FOR SALE—Kindling wood. Route 3; phone 4X. Frank Martin. 5-3

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FOR SALE—10 good healthy shoats, weight about 75 pounds each. Ruby Ruddell, Hanamo phone 1 K. L. 30-2

FOR SALE—Lumber and cheap wood. Saunders Bros. 11-tf

Miscellaneous.

ALFALFA DUE NOW—Car first cutting, car third cutting, both good hays; prices right. See or phone me. Elmer Fraser. 29-1

WANTED—Work on farm by young man by year; wants small house to live in. Call Farmer's 39-12. 30-2

SANITARY ENGINEERING requires experienced mechanics and good materials. Our appliances and "knowing how" insures satisfaction. Standard Plumbing Co.

Lost.

LOST—Bag containing rosary (amethyst), scissors, between 710 N. Main and St. Patrick's church. Reward. Ada Diss. 30-2

LOST—Package, between Mt. Ayr church and Maryville Saturday. Contained 2 pairs overalls and 2 union suits. Leave at Forum office. 1-3

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—1,500. Market 10c higher.
Hogs—32,000. Market 5c lower; top, $6.90. Estimate tomorrow, 20,000.
Sheep—8,000. Market 15c higher.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—23,000. Market steady.
Hogs—17,000. Market steady; top, $6.87.
Sheep—10,000. Market strong.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—2,800. Market steady.
Hogs—12,000. Market 10c lower; top, $6.75.
Sheep—5,000. Market strong.

Mound City Visitor Leaves.

Mrs. Jonas Whitmer of Mound City, who has been spending several weeks with her niece, Mrs. George Kemp, left Saturday for Skidmore to visit before returning to her home.

Africo-American Club Meets.

The members of the Africo-American club assembled at their club rooms Friday night and enjoyed a supper and literary program. E. O. Bone acted as toastmaster. The meeting was opened by singing in chorus "Blest Be the Tie That Binds," and a prayer by Rev. J. W. Wells followed. The first address was given by C. C. Baker, the club president, on the subject "The Uplifting of the Negro in Maryville." A response to this address was made by Mrs. B. F. Smart. The following members were present: C. C. Baker, A. A. Williams, Thomas Jackson, Henry Wilson, B. F. Smart, W. M. Palmer, Charles Martin, E. O. Boone, Guy Martin, James Malcolm, John Gooden, Earl Martin, Harry Palmer, George Ousley, and the following visitors: Mrs. B. F. Smart, Mrs. Andrews, Mrs. Dale, Mrs. J. Malcolm, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Gooden, Mrs. Smith, Misses Gertrude Wells, Daisy Allen, Laura White, Dorothy Palmer, Mildred Palmer, Wells, Clara Baker, Laura Williams, Lucy Williams, Leona White, Alice White, Lula White, George Palmer, Rev. Wells, Rufus Palmer, Chester Williams, Arthur Smith, Columbus Palmer and Paul Smith.

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MAY CHANGE DATES

AIR OFFICERS RECONSIDER TIME OF NEXT EXHIBITION.

PLAN DOUBLE EVENT

f Nodaway Show is in September, A Fourth of July Celebration May Be Arranged.

Officers of the Maryville-Nodaway ounty Fair and Agricultural associaion met in the office of John F. Roelfson this afternoon to reconsider the ates for the Nodaway county fair next ummer, on account of confliction of resent dates with those of Maitland nd Nebraska City, Neb. It was origially planned to hold the local fair rom August 16 to August 21 inclusive. Some favor changing back to last ear's date, the first week in Septemer, while James Andy Ford, manager, elieves the first week in August would e better, because the race horses ould be fresher and more liable to how better speed and class. The first eek in August would conflict only ith the fair at Malvern, Ia., A fair he first week in September would conlict with no other fairs.

Plan July Fourth Event.

If the September date is decided on, Ir. Ford said the association probably ould arrange a two-days race and xhibition July 2 and 3 here, in the nture of a Fourth of July celebraion, as that holiday this year comes n a Sunday. The event would be held t the county fair grounds, East First treet, and would include features orth while, Mr. Ford announced.

If the county fair is held in August, owever, no such event will be lanned, it is said.

The association held a conference aturday afternoon, but no definite acion resulted.

Set Iowa Fair Dates.

The dates for the county fairs of five outhern Iowa cities and Maitland, all embers of the southwest Iowa short hip circuit have been set. One of the hanges is that of shortening by one ay the length of time the fairs will un. The Maryville-Nodaway County air and Agricultural association was sked to come in the circuit, but deined.

The only fair that will conflict seriusly with the Nodaway county fair ext summer is that of the Nodaway alley association, to be held in Maitand from August 16 to August 20 inlusive.

George White of Malvern was elected president and Edward Birkhimer of henandoah secretary of the short ship ssociation.

Offer $400 Race Purse.

It was decided to give $400 purses n the race events of the circuit this ummer, and that all the members must be identified with the American rotting association.

The dates for the circuit are as follows:

Corning—July 20-23.
Bedford—July 27-30.
Malvern—August 2-5.
Shenandoah—August 9-13.
Maitland—August 16-20.
Clarinda—August 23-27.

Many Attend Band Concert.

That the people of Maryville appreciate the worth of a good band and good music is attested by the large crowd of women and men who attend the concerts each Sunday afternoon at the Empire. The offering, too, was above the average—in fact, each concert appears to be improved and more features placed in the programs.

Debates in Schools Urged.

A proposed law that would compel school boards and boards of education to open school edifices for public discussions has been introduced in the state legislature.

The measure provides that 10 per cent of the taxpayers in the school district or community could force the proper authorities to allow use of the buildings.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

SUNSHINE RARE ARTICLE.

Rain, Sleet and Snow Equals Slush, Maryville Folks Find—May Continue.

A brand of weather, the like of which is seldom seen in Maryville, hovers over the city, has continued to so hover since Saturday morning, and may continue to hove until tomorrow at least. It start 1 with a cold rain, which fell on a blanket of snow previously deposited.

Then Saturday noon it changed to sleet, with admixture of rain and snow, then again to a rain Sunday. Mixed as it was, one's tramp through the mixture produced a slush, slush sound that oozed miserably over one's shoes and made smiles rare.

But the temperature has not been low since Friday, the readings of J. R. Brink, official weather observer, show. At 7 o'clock this morning the maximum for the twenty-four hours preceding was 38 degrees and the minimum 31 degrees.

The precipitation has been scarcely more than an inch, either, since the "London style" weather began Saturday. According to Observer Brink the fall was but .02 of an inch for the twenty-four hours prior to 7 o'clock yesterday morning, and .96 of an inch at the same hour this morning. Since 7 o'clock and up to noon it is believed the total fall will be an inch.

DEFER DRAINAGE CASE.

Hearing in Litigation Over Nodaway River "Cut" is Postponed.

The continuance of the hearing, by special referee, in the two suits resulting over the Nodaway river drainage "cut," which was to have been held in the circuit court room here today, has been further postponed until next week at least. The delay is occasioned by the fact that the Andrew county court convened today. As Peter Breit of Savannah, special referee, is busy on several trials there he could not resume the hearing here today as planned.

There are two suits. The first was that of Sternberg & Son of Kansas City, constructors of the drainage ditch from the Iowa line to Quitman, against Nodaway drainage district No. 2, which contracted for the construction. That suit is for approximately $5,000, alleged to be due for construction work.

The drainage district then sued the constructors for $6,000 damages, on the grounds that it did not compiy with the specifications.

WILL ATTEND NATIONAL MEET.

Harry C. Todd, Director of Telephone Association, Leaves Today for Week's Visit.

Harry C. Todd, manager of the Hanamo Telephone company, left this afternoon for Chicago to attend an annual convention of the National Telephone Companies association, to be held there Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Mr. Todd, who is one of the directors of the national organization, is leaving one day ahead of time in order to attend a meeting of the directorate there tomorrow.

This is Mr. Todd's second term on the board of directors. He is considered one of the leading lights in the association, and generally is called on at the annual gatherings for a short talk. Mr. Todd expects to return to Maryville next Sunday or Monday.

DR. DOBYNS TO ADDRESS CLUB.

Eminent Presbyterian to Speak to Men's club Tuesday Night.

The Men's club of the First Presbyterian church will hold its February meeting and banquet at 6:30 o'clock Tuesday night at the church. Dr. William R. Dobyns, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of St. Joseph, will be the after-dinner speaker.

Dr. Dobyns is one of the leading men of the Southern Presbyterian church, and the men of the church will derive pleasure and profit from his visit.

Will Move to Colorado.

A public auction of his live stock and farm implements was held today by Sherman Pope, who lives on the David Denning farm, a half mile northeast of the Pleasant Grove church, preparatory to his moving next spring to Colorado. R. P. Hosmer was auctioneer.

MAY END TONIGHT

BAPTIST RELIGIOUS CAMPAIGN RESULTS IN 252 CONVERSIONS.

STILL HAVE FULL HOUSE

Disagreeable Weather No Hindrance—Thirty Express Faith Last Night—Evangelist Goes to Mexico.

Despite the disagreeable weather the last few days, the First Baptist church continues to draw full houses to the revival meetings being conducted there by the Rev. A. E. Burch of Kansas City. Even last night, in a steady drizzle, the crowd went and packed the auditorium almost to its capacity. The services did not close until 11:30 o'clock, yet the audience remained for the concluding prayer.

The religious campaign which was begun by the Baptists January 3 will probably close tonight, the Rev. Lewis M. Hale, pastor, announced this morning. A vote, however, will probably be taken at the meeting tonight. If the sentiment appears to favor a continuance, the special services will not close until Wednesday night. Under no conditions, however, will they continue longer than Wednesday, Mr. Hale said.

Breaks Last Year's Record.

The revival has so far resulted in 252 conversions, compared to a total of 109 at the Baptist revival last year. In fact, this revival is said to have resulted in more conversions than any special religious campaign conducted in Maryville for years.

Of this total, eleven expressed conversion Saturday night, twenty-three yesterday morning and thirty last night. While the mark was early in the meeting set at 150, then later at 200, the Baptist workers now believe the campaign will bring about close to 300 conversions.

Mr. Burch will go from here to Mexico, Mo., where he will begin a series of union meetings the last part of this week. Evangelist Burch has decided to conduct no more revival or evangelistic meetings, but to confine his work entirely to holding union services. In fact, it was only through the friendship existing between him and Mr. Hale that he was induced to conduct the revival here, it is said, as he some time ago decided to devote his time entirely to union meetings.

GREECE TO SERVIA'S AID

Athens Says Troops to Defend Against Teutonic Assault Are Gathering.

Paris, Feb. 1.—Dispatches to the Balkan agencies from Athens says:

"Greece, with all forces, will come to the aid of the Servians with the fresh invasions into Servia by Austro-German armies.

Greatest of activity prevails now in military quarters and troops are being rapidly mobilized to go into the war against the Teutons."

SEND WHALEN TO REFORMATORY.

Governor Major Grants Judge Ellison's Request in Conception Robbery Case.

Harry Whalen, 20 years old, who was sentenced to serve two years in the state penitentiary for a theft of morphine from Dr. W. P. Stuckle of Conception, recently, will be sent to the state training school for boys at Boonville, instead of the penitentiary. This information is contained in a letter received last night from Governor Elliott W. Major by Circuit Judge W. C. Ellison, who sentenced Whalen.

After sentencing Whalen last week, Ellison made an appeal to Governor Major to have Whalen transferred from the penitentiary to the reformatory, on account of Whalen's youth. He was taken to Jefferson City by Sheriff Edwin Wallace last week, but now will be taken to Boonville. Sheriff Wallace and Deputy Gabe Purcell are expected to return today.

BLIZZARD ACROSS THE WEST.

Storm of Dangerous Proportions in Rocky Mountains Rages Today.

Chicago, Feb. 1.—A blizzard, which in the west reaches dangerous proportions, is raging today from the Rocky mountains to the great lake region.

A Bouquet for Senator Craig.

Senator Anderson Craig of Maryville, who is accepted in Jefferson City as one of the strongest members of the egislature, is billed to make a religious talk at the Presbyterian church. He is being widely advertised by attractive cards distributed about the city and throughout the capitol.—Herbert F. McDougal in the St. Joseph Gazette.

CROP TOTALS BIG

FINAL 1914 REPORT SHOWS MISSOURI FARMS YIELDED WELL.

CORN MADE 23 BUSHELS

Wheat Averaged 17 Bushels Per Acre—Entire Crops Were Worth $200,000,000, Agricultural Board Says.

More than a million dollars' worth of corn to the county is a record that Missouri has made for the year 1914, according to returns compiled from official reports made to the secretary of the Missouri State board of agriculture, according to its final report for 1914 just received.

The corn yield for the state is estimated at a little more than 175,000,000 bushels, or practically the same as the board's preliminary estimate made on September 1. This means that the Missouri farmer has this year grown about forty-two million bushels more of corn than he grew in 1913. The average yield for the past five years has been but 28,000,000 more than for the present year.

$9,000,000 Above Average.

The board estimates the value of farm crops grown in Missouri this year at more than $200,000,000, or nine million dollars in excess of the five-year average. Large as are these figures, they do not disclose the real returns from Missouri farms Had live stock, wool, dairy products, poultry, orchard and apiary products been included, it would have been seen that even in what has been counted a rather unfavorable year Missouri farm productions and sales have totaled more than $500,000,000.

The value of Missouri crops for the year 1914 reaches the magnificent total of $201,455,275, according to estimates based upon reports made by the board's official representatives in the 114 counties of the state.

The average crop value for the five-year period of 1909-13 has been $192,515,000, with $209,219,000 as the highest within this period. Corn carries the big figure for 1914, the value of the crop being placed at $15,257,869. This represents an average price of 66 cents per bushel. A number of other crops show a decided increase in value, and some a gratifying gain in yield.

Was More Than 1913 Yield.

The state production of 175,158,000 bushels of corn, grown on 7,421,678 acres, represents a yield of 23.6 bushels per acre. The total yield for 1913 was 132,748,500 bushels and the average yield per acre was 17.6 bushels. The average yield for the past five-year period has been 203,462,000 bushels, or 26.9 bushels per acre. The highest yield for this period was in 1910, when the crop consisted of 252,472,000 bushels, with an acre yield of 32.4 bushels.

Good farming and a fairly favorable season in the northwestern part of the state and along the western border made possible the yields for 1914.

Wheat Worth $36,885,000.

The board of agriculture estimates the 1914 wheat yield at 36,933,501 bushels, harvested from 2,156,637 acres. This represents a yield of 17.1 bushels per acre, which is the same as the preliminary estimate made at the time of harvesting. The value of the crop, figured at the December 1 price of a fraction less than $1 per bushel, is $36,885,481.

The estimate for the 1914 oat crop shows a yield of 18,534,533 bushels grown on 893,144 acres. This is an average yield of 20.8 bushels for the state. By sections, the yield was: Northeast, 14.8 bushels, northwest, 25.6 bushels; central, 18.5 bushels, southwest, 27 bushels; southeast, 15.5 bushels.

Shenandoah to Clean Up.

"Clean Up Shenandoah" is the watch word of a campaign that started at Shenandoah, Ia., last week, with influences that grew out of a Methodist revival. It has already landed five in the city jail charged with bootlegging and handed one cigarette merchant a fine of $25 and costs.

NEW TUTOR BEGINS WORK.

Prof. F. P. Wagg Assumes Head of Educational Department at Normal Today.

Prof. Frank P. Wagg of Brooklyn succeeded Prof. M. G. Neale as director of the department of education and training at the State Normal school this morning. This position has been filled temporarily by President Ira Richardson since Prof. Neale's retirement, a month ago.

Prof. Wagg has the reputation of being well qualified to assume the position to which he has been appointed here. He has had a wide experience in teaching, and holds several degrees from the best colleges of the country.

Parnell Couple Would Wed.

Emmett Miller and Miss Bertha Dixon, both of Parnell, were granted a license to marry in St. Joseph Saturday.

HOLD MISSION DAY

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH OBSERVES SPECIAL MEETINGS.

STATE WORKERS SPEAK

All Women's Missionary Societies Join in Afternoon Program—Illustrated Lecture Given Last Night.

An interesting series of mission services were held at the First Christian church yesterday, in charge of the women's missionary organizations of the church. The special features of the day's meeting were addresses made by Mrs. Ross of Canton, field worker in missions, and Mrs. O. W. Lawrence, state secretary of the C. W. B. M.

At the morning hour of services a splendid talk dealing entirely with the mission work of the Christian denomination was given by Mrs. Ross. The Maryville church has a part in the upkeeping of the "Living Link Pledge," and for this purpose twenty-one life memberships were taken yesterday, the amount paid going into this benevolence.

In the afternoon the meeting was especially arranged for all the women's missionary societies of the city, and a representative from each participated in the program. At this time addresses were made by Mrs. Ross and Mrs. Lawrence. Despite the bad weather a good crowd was in attendance and enjoyed the afternoon's programs.

The last night's program was one of the best of the day, when Mrs. Ross gave an illustrated lecture. Her talk related to the work of the Southern Christian institute, a negro school in Mississippi which the church has been supporting. The school is now self-supporting, and its work and the history of its progress was told of by Mrs. Ross, illustrated with stereopticon slides. The latter part of the lecture was devoted to the mission work in Liberia, where Mrs. Ross' son, Emory Ross, has been a worker for years.

Mrs. Ross and Mrs. Lawrence left this morning for Kansas City, where they will attend a similar meeting to be held tomorrow.

SELL ROAD BONDS

LINCOLN TOWNSHIP ISSUE COSTS 5½ PER CENT.

SUBMIT ONLY 2 BIDS

Chicago Firm Outbids Farmers Trust Company by One-Half Per Cent—Premium is $69.

The $25,000 bond issue for the improvement of roads and bridges in Lincoln township, which was authorized in a special election November 10, was sold by the county court this afternoon to the Merchants Loan and Trust company of Chicago for $25,069.25, and at a rate of 5½ per cent interest, together with accrued interest.

There were but two bids. The other was submitted by the Farmers Trust company of Maryville. It was outbid by ½ per cent on interest rate and offered a premium of only $65.50, but made the accrued interest provision as did the successful firm.

While the $50,000 good roads issue voted last year by Polk township was sold at a rate of 5 per cent and a premium of approximately $100, it was explained by Fred P. Robinson, who handled the sale, that the conditions under which the Polk issue was offered were more favorable.

Considers Bid Good.

He said he considered the bid a good one and that he expected no better bid, considering financial conditions generally over the country. Members of the county court and delegation from Lincoln township, all voiced approval. Each member of the court thereupon voted to sell at 5½ per cent.

The interest will begin April 1. It is not believed any of the fund will be available before May 1, as the present township officers retire April 16, and it is not their intention to use any of the fund. The last bonds become due in 1929.

No Appointments Soon.

Those present from Lincoln township at the bond sale this afternoon were Grant Elrod, trustee; T. R. Livengood and N. I. Staples, members of the township board, and Mike Russell, clerk.

It is said the entire $25,000 bond issue and the duplication by the state can be well expended in that township for bridges and culverts. It provides that none of the fund can be used for bridges costing more than $100.

The county court met this afternoon in regular session. After selling the Lincoln bonds it took up road case hearings. Presiding Judge W. M. Blackford said the court would not fill any appointive county positions before the last half of this week.

Hamilton Teacher Here.

Chastain Harrell, principal of the schools at Hamilton, spent yesterday visiting friends in this city.

THE WEATHER

Rain or snow and colder tonight; Tuesday probably fair.

TONIGHT

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Announcement.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. HENRY THORP.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. W. L. ROBEY.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. C. L. GANN.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of township collector of Polk township. W. A. BURRIS.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for collector of Polk township, subject to the Republican nominating convention. CLARENCE GREEN.

Ira Bailey Route 5 Carrier.

Ira Bailey of Maryville, who has been "sub" carrier out of the local postoffice the past year, assumed the position of regular carrier on rural route 5 this morning, following his appointment a few days ago. There has been a rural carrier vacancy at the Maryville office since last April, when Roy Wray resigned as carrier on route No. 7.

Each of the seven routes is now covered by a regular carrier.

Clyde Farmers Lose Horses.

The corn stalk disease is widespread in this vicinity, as the following losses in cattle and horses show. William Ellerman and C. J. Merrigan each a valuable mare; Christopher Farnan and Thomas Keefe each a steer; Thomas Ranch lost two horses; Jess Headrick, four horses; Dan McQuinn, Maurice Egan, Horace Rainey each lost valuable horses; John Sturm lost two horses; Theo Derks, one mule.—Clyde Times.

Try Nodaway Suit Soon.

The Abbott-Linebaugh damage suit, transferred last fall from the circuit court of Nodaway county to that of Daviess county on a change of venue, will probably come up in Gallatin this week for action. The Daviess circuit court convened this morning.

Oregon Visitors Arrive.

The Rev. and Mrs. Morga of Oregon, Mo., arrived in the city at noon today to visit their son, the Rev. H. K. Morga, pastor of the Methodist church at Graham. They will be guests during their stay of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Knabb, who live northwest of Maryville.

Normal Hears European Talk.

Prof. H. A. Foster, head of the history department at the State Normal school, addressed the Normal students in assembly this morning on the European situation. He talked principally of the effect of the present European war on world conditions, its probable result and the causes leading up to it.

H. C. Conrad, chiropractor. No drugs, no knife. Over Ashford millinery.

Notice

All parties indebted to the estate of Dr. Geo. A. Nash will please call at once and SETTLE ACCOUNTS at Miss Nash's Studio, room 10, Michau Building

MANY OCTOGENARIANS THERE.

Grant City, With Population of 1,500, Has 17 from 80 to 90 Years Old.

If longevity is suggestive of health, climate and correct habits of living, then Grant City measures up fully to the standard. In a population of about 1,500 there are seventeen persons whose ages run from 80 to 90 years. All are in fairly good health. Some of the men are still engaged in business pursuits.

Hopkins Farmers Like Alfalfa.

Quite a number of Hopkins farmers are falling in love with the alfalfa crop, especially since they have been paying $16 a ton for that shipped in from Kansas.

S. C. Ramsey, on the old George Oxley farm, put in fifteen acres last year and will put in fifteen acres more this year.

Several other farmers contemplate putting in from five to ten acres.—Hopkins Journal.

Townsend's February

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Bushel Good Cooking Apples	$1.00
Barrel freshly sorted Apples	$2.85
California Navel Oranges, medium size, 10 for	15c
1 lb good bulk Roasted Coffee, worth 20c for	12c
6 bright new Breakfast Mackerel	25c
1 lb new crop (just arrived) 40c to 50c Gunpowder Tea	18c
Quart cans Solid Tomatoes	8c
No. 2 cans Solid Tomatoes	6c
10c jars Peanut Butter, 2 for	15c
California Prunes, 5 lbs	49c
Pickled Pork, good pieces, lb	10c
Best Hams (skin off), lb	15c
35c Mistletoe Bacon, whole pieces,	28c
20c cans Honey Bee, finest Corn packed, 2 for	25c
15c cans VanCamp's Country Gent Corn	11c
Compound Lard, any amount, lb	10c
Best Sour Kraut, any amount, gal	15c
White Catawba Grape Juice, quart,	45c
Waukesha Ginger Ale, finest, quarts, 2 for	45c
Fairwood Peas, finest sifted, sweet and tender, worth 20c, per can, 13c; doz	$1.45
Early June Peas, 2 cans	15c
Seal of Minnesota Flour, 48-lb sacks for	$1.85
Tango package Teas, Gunpowder or Japan, extra fancy grade, per package	10c, 15c and 25c
No. 1 cans finest Pineapple, sliced or grated, 2 for Limit of 2 cans.	15c
Smoked Herring, skinless and boneless, lb	20c
Smoked Bloaters, 6 for	25c
Celery, 2 for	15c
Finest quality Lettuce, lb	25c
Large Spanish Onions, 6 lbs	25c
Best Northern Cabbage, 100 lbs	$1.60
Pure Cream Cheese, our best, lb, 20c; 5 lbs	90c
Buckwheat Flour, absolutely pure, 101lb sacks	50c
25c box Pastry Flour	20c
25c box Whole Wheat Flour	20c
Coal Oil, 2 gallons, 15c; 5 gallons	35c
Gasoline (at store), 2 gallons, 25c; 5 gallons	60c
McLaren's Pimento Cheese, jar	15c
Orth's Onion Salad, large jar	10c
Orth's Cream or Horse Radish, 2 bottles	15c

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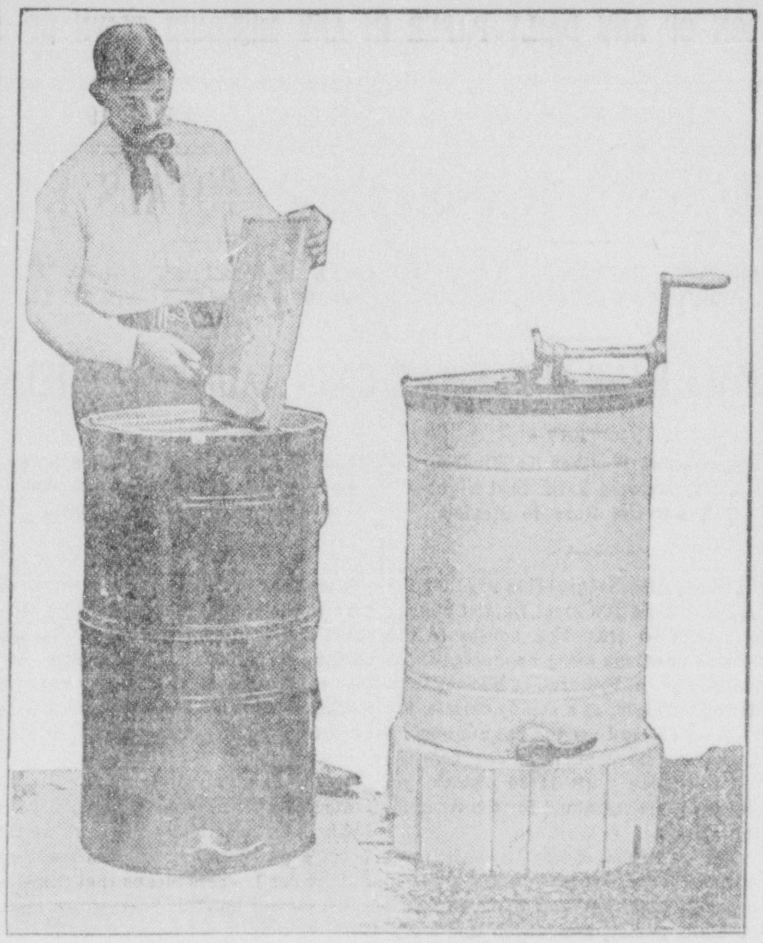
BEES CERTIFY TO RIPENESS OF HONEY



Extracting Honey.

(By F. G. HERMAN.)

When nectar is gathered it is thin and watery. The heat of the hive, aided by the manipulation of the bees, gradually reduces the nectar to thick, "ripe" honey. When the honey is ripe the bees seal it over. That is their finishing touch which proclaims that it is ready for market, or for use. While there is an excess of water in the honey, the bees will not seal it over. They will leave it to evaporate.

This process of evaporation is the ripening process. As it goes on, the honey gets thicker and heavier, until it has reached the proper density. Then, as already remarked, the bees certify to its ripeness by sealing it over.

After honey has been thoroughly ripened in the hive and is then removed, its future palatableness depends entirely upon the care that it receives. Too many look at honey as simple sweet, like cane sugar, forgetting that its flavor, its aroma, are its chief attractions, and honey, when first taken from the hive, has very distinctly the flavor of the flowers from which it was gathered.

Each variety of blossoms gives a distinctive flavor. By tasting of honey an expert can very readily tell from what class of blossoms it was gathered.

Thoroughly ripened, extracted honey should be at once put into bottles, cans or barrels, and sealed up tight, and then put in a dry place. It will of course, soon candy or crystallize, but the flavor will be retained indefinitely and the honey can be liquefied whenever it is needed for use.

Care must be exercised in melting the honey that the flavor is not injured by the application of too great heat. Of course, the honey will not be burned if it is not heated hotter than boiling water, but the application of so great a heat as this rapidly drives off the flavor.

Keeping the package closed and applying a very gentle heat, never above 150 degrees, is the better way. Putting up the honey in such packages as can easily be put into warm water makes the liquefying more convenient.

When reliquefying granulated honey place the receptacle containing the honey into a vessel of water and place a few thin strips of wood between the bottom of the two cans.

The honey should be kept at a heated temperature for at least three or four hours (according to size of receptacle) to insure perfect liquefying. Any granules which are not thoroughly dissolved will hasten the solidifying of honey.

Light and cold are two elements which also have an undesired effect. Probably the best condition for preserving honey is to keep it warm, dry and dark, similar to its condition inside of the bee hive.

Honey has a great affinity for moisture, and if comb honey is stored in a damp atmosphere it will absorb the moisture through the lightly porous cappings and become thin and watery. The bulk of the honey will be so increased that it will burst the cells and ooze out. The honey may become so thin that fermentation may set in.

Cold is also detrimental to comb honey, causing it to candy in the cells. When comb honey is first taken from the hives it should be stored in a hot, dry atmosphere.

Very few people know how to keep honey. The average housewife will usually put the honey in the cellar or into the refrigerator for safe keeping. About the two worst places possible. Honey is kept very differently from fruit.

Honey is thoroughly ripe when taken from the hive and will therefore not ferment unless it is placed in a cool moist place.

A great many have not learned that it is just as important to take proper care of the honey and put it on the market in first class condition as it is to use the best and most economical means of securing it.

One of the essentials of proper care is keeping the honey in a very dry and warm place; especially is this true of comb honey or extracted honey in open cans. Honey taints very easily and for this reason I prefer that as little smoke as possible be used when taking it from the hive.

INSTALLS TAXI SERVICE

Knox Garage Places New Style Car in Operation—Is Not a "Jitney."

Leo B. Knox, proprietor of the Knox garage, on the south side of the square, has received a new Ford taxicab style motor car, of five-passenger size, which he has placed in service. The new car was received Saturday night and immediately was put into operation. It is Mr. Knox's intention to only use the taxicab on calls, and not to make regular "runs."

A charge of 25 cents per passenger to or from any part of the city has been announced. The belief that the "jitney" had invaded Maryville therefore is unfounded.

Act on Two County Estates.

John F. Roelofson, public administrator, was appointed administrator of the estate of Mrs. Phoebe A. Johnson, who died December 28, at Hopkins, by Probate Judge W. H. Conn, last Saturday afternoon. The estate is small.

Warren J. Campbell has been appointed curator of the estate of his daughter, Ida Marie Campbell, a minor, of near Barnard, by Probate Judge Conn. The estate was left her on the death of an uncle recently.

Harmony Begins Revival.

Evangelistic meetings of two weeks duration were begun in the Harmony Community church yesterday under the direction of Dr. C. L. Nisbet of Merrill, Wis. The Rev. C. R. Green, pastor, and several Maryville ministers will assist in the Harmony revival series.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Grant City Begins Course.

A university extension course will be held at Grant City this week, beginning today and closing February 5. Professors L. F. Childers and S. T. Simpson, both of the state university, will deliver four lectures each day.

A. D. Arnett Ill.

A. D. Arnett, proprietor of the Arnett Decorating company, has been very ill for several days with a threatened attack of pneumonia.

Miss Mary McCall visited friends in St. Joseph yesterday.

Duty of Every Farmer.

No man who farms should begrudge the time he spends in grading, dragging and ditching the highways. He must use them 12 months in the year. Every day's work makes them a little better if the work is done intelligently.

In many localities the merchants have aided in the work of road betterment, and it seems ridiculous that their efforts should be distrusted by the farmers.

Importance of Movement.

Of the 2,000 miles of public roads in the United States only about 200,000 miles have been given a hard surface.

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Good roads mean as much to moral and intellectual welfare as to economical distribution.

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WILL INSPECT SALE STOCK.

State Veterinarians to Examine Cattle and Hogs for Foot and Mouth Disease.

The following announcement has been issued by Jewell Mayes, secretary of the state board of agriculture:

"The numerous and complicated state and federal quarantine regulations on account of foot and mouth disease are greatly hindering the movement of live stock from Missouri to other states. Changes in these regulations are made so frequently that it is impossible to keep deputy state veterinarians informed on the details of their requirements.

It has, therefore, been decided to have Dr. D. F. Luckey, the state veterinarian, or one of the regular deputies, as far as possible, to attend public sales of pure bred hogs and cattle from which animals will probably be shipped to other states, to explain the various quarantine regulations, make inspections for interstate shipment and issue shipment permits without charge.

This arrangement, which is only a temporary one, does not cover the sale of horses or sheep.

To Attend National Conference.

The Rev. R. L. Finch, pastor of the First Christian church, left this morning for Des Moines, Ia., where he will attend a national conference of Bible school workers, to be held in that city tomorrow.

Visits in St. Joseph.

G. B. Holmes, Jr., spent the day yesterday in St. Joseph visiting his brother, Dan Holmes, and family.

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HOPKINS ITEMS.

Dan Tooher has lost four horses with the cornstalk disease.

Mrs. Dave Dalrymple, who was ill last week, is improved.

George W. Demott and family of Maryville visited at Hopkins last week.

Elder Frain of Gravity, Ia., will preach at Mt. Vernon, east of Hopkins next Sunday. Everyone is invited.

About thirty-five neighbors and relatives were entertained at Ed Sheley's Monday night.

Dave Dalrymple and George Ulmer, Jr., bought a car load of alfalfa and a car load of corn last week.

The box and pie social at the Xenia school house Friday night was well attended.

There will be a box and pie supper at the Independence school on the night of February 12. Miss Rhoda Brown is the teacher.

Ellsworth Thompson shipped two car loads of hogs to St. Joseph last week.

Mrs. Ed Coleman is at a St. Joseph hospital, where she underwent an operation for tumor.

Harry and Charles Gonser have lost three valuable horses with cornstalk disease last week.

Miss Lula Shelton has returned from a three weeks visit with her uncle George Gray, of Iowa.

A Statement.

"The party who sent in to The Democrat-Forum Tuesday of last week the account of a comfort tacking at my home should find out if there was one before sending such a notice. If any one has any spite towards me, don't put it in the newspaper. Come to my face and be a man about it. In taking any other means you hurt yourself worse than anyone else.

"CHESTER FERGUSON,
"Burlington Junction."

Occasionally, as in the above instance, notices come to The Democrat-Forum office which are unsigned or fictitiously signed. The anonymous writer of news cannot be recognized. Such attempts at practical joking create ill feeling with the parties and makes the newspaper the victim, if such communications "get through." In most cases such attempts are detected and the news ends in the waste basket. To avoid any possibility of error, and that it's policy of absolute truth telling will not be violated, the Democrat-Forum refuses to use any news, business, personal or social which is not authentically signed. The sender's name will not be printed in any case, but it must appear with the article if the article is published. We want the news, but we want the true happenings only.

Cecil Goforth visited his parents in Barnard yesterday.

Hosmer's Monthly Stock Sale

Gray's Sale Pavilion, Maryville, Mo.

Saturday, Feb. 6, 1915

The following property will be sold:

50 Head of Horses, Mares and Mules—All sizes, classes and ages. **A Special consignment of Mules listed by Frank Ulmer of Pickering.** 14 head of 2 and 3 year old mules, nearly all mares, 15½ to 16½ hands high and are a good quality—lot that will surely suit anybody.

40 Head of Milch Cows and Stock Cattle. 15 Head of extra good heavy springers listed by E. H. Bainum, 5 head by Wm. Thornhill.

What do you want to sell? List it in this sale. I will have the buyers and the stock, so don't forget the date, time and place.

Sale starts at 1 p. m. Prompt

R. P. Hosmer
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INDIGESTION, GAS OR SICK, SOUR STOMACH

Time It!—"Pape's Diapepsin" Makes Your Upset, Bloated Stomach Feel Fine in Five Minutes.

"Really does" put bad stomachs in order—"really does" overcome indigestion, dyspepsia, gas, heartburn and sourness in five minutes—that—just that—makes Pape's Diapepsin the largest selling stomach regulator in the world. If what you eat ferments into stubborn lumps, you belch gas and eructate sour, undigested food and acid; head is dizzy and aches; breath foul; tongue coated; your insides filled with bile and indigestible waste, remember the moment "Pape's Diapepsin" comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes. It's truly astonishing—almost marvelous, and the joy s its harmlessness.

A large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin will give you a hundred dollars' worth of satisfaction or your druggist hands you your money back.

It's worth its weight in gold to men and women who can't get their stomachs regulated. It belongs in your home—should always be kept handy in case of a sick, sour, upset stomach during the day or at night. It's the quickest, surest and most harmless stomach doctor in the world.

GAYNOR NEWS.

Miss Lora Nigh is visiting relatives at Pattonsburg and Maryville.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist church met Thursday afternoon and spent the time quilting. Those present were Mesdames Reddick, Nigh, New, Potter, Husbands, Hart, Roy Nigh, Cooper, Mabel Hart, Bosch, Claude and Miss Lucile Husbands.

Miss Brumfield of Sheridan is employed in the telephone central office.

Harley Owens and family and Mrs. Hendry moved to Hopkins last week.

Ernest Nigh helped Delmar New haul hay Friday.

Mr. Cross has opened a blacksmith shop at Gaynor.

Sherman Munn, Delmar New and Byron Archer delivered hogs to Parnell last week.

The Young People's club of the Christian church met at Joe Alexander's Wednesday evening.

Elmer Montgomery left Tuesday for Columbia to attend the Missouri state university.

Mrs. Daugherty and Eva Hollensbeck are both ill.

Miss Ada May Clayton visited Miss Gladys Tilson and Miss Helen Tilson in St. Joseph Saturday and Sunday.

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BATTLE IN SENATE ON SHIPPING BILL

Republicans Continue Filibuster Against Measure.

MUCH DISCUSSION IN CAPITAL

Secretary Bryan Asserts Report That Sir Edward Grey Told United States That Buying of Teuton Ships Unneutral Is Untrue.

Washington, Feb. 1.—After an armistice over Sunday in the battle over the administration shipping bill, the senate resumed consideration of the measure this morning, with the Republicans continuing their filibuster and the administration leaders determined to press the bill.

Diplomatic phases of the proposed purchase of ships by the United States government were widely discussed as a result of the publication of a report that Sir Edward Grey had informed the state department that such purchases if including German or Austrian ships would be regarded as constituting an unneutral act.

It was stated positively at the state department, as well as the British embassy, that no communication on the subject had been received from Sir Edward. Not only has the American government not asked or received the formal views of Great Britain, but no expressions of an official character have come from either Russia or France.

References have been made to the subject of transfers of flag in diplomatic correspondence over the steamship Dacia and previously over the Brindilla, but these are held by the state department not to be parallel cases, as they involve transactions between private individuals, whereas the bill pending in the senate would make the United States government a party to any purchase of vessels made under it.

CHILDREN TO AID IN RELIEF

Twenty Million Youngsters Will Make Selves Useful as Collectors.

New York, Feb. 1.—The enlistment of the 20,000,000 children of the United States in an army of helpfulness to relieve suffering both in this country and Europe is the purpose of a movement which is announced here by a committee of educators of nation-wide reputation. It includes Charles Eliot, president emeritus of Harvard university, and David Starr Jordan, president of the National Educational association.

It is the belief of those interested in the plan that evil influences in the schools of the United States are arising from the war. "Influences of lying, hatred and murder are moulding the lives of America's 20,000,000 children," says an announcement of the committee's plans, "which tend to crush out truth, justice and love.

"In many of our schools we even forbid all discussion of the war. We cannot, however, hide this war from our children nor keep its destructive influences from their lives.

"With a nation-wide relief movement of our children we can turn their minds from destructive murder to helpful life-giving and build on the terrible need the strongest, most helpful race of men and women the world has ever known.

"The school children are organized, and can begin immediately on relief work. They can raise at least $1,000,000 without burden on any one, as the funds will be raised in small sums—the people's gift through their children. They can make millions of needed articles of clothing and other things."

Aftermath of Big Bank Suspension.

Uniontown, Pa., Feb. 1.—Following the closing twelve days ago of the First National bank of Uniontown by its directors the county court judges have appointed receivers for J. V. Thompson, widely known coal land operator and president of the bank, and eleven other coal land dealers, all residents of Fayette county. The assets of these twelve men total $36,126,500, while their liabilities, according to the court records, are $12,144,175.

Detectives Are Acquitted.

Atlanta, Feb. 1.—A verdict of not guilty was returned by a jury here in the case of Dan S. Lehon, C. C. Tedder and Arthur Thurman, charged with subornation of perjury in connection with the Leo M. Frank case. Lehon is southern manager of the Burns detective agency. Tedder formerly was employed by the agency and Thurman is a lawyer.

Get License to Wed.

Carl Mitchell, 26 years old, of Burlington Junction, was granted a license to marry late Saturday afternoon in the office of the recorder of deeds, to Miss Anna Lee Linebaugh, 20 years old, of Clearmont.

Official Board to Meet.

The official board of the First Methodist church will meet tomorrow night at the parsonage, on South Main street, with the Rev. Gilbert S. Cox as host.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

MACKENZIE KING.

Labor Investigator For Rockefeller Foundation Directs Colorado Probe.

STEAMSHIP DACIA SAILS FOR EUROPE

Vessel Laden With Cotton Starts on Journey From Galveston.

Galveston, Feb. 1.—The steamship Dacia departed at noon from Galveston for Rotterdam with 11,000 bales of cotton to be transhipped to Bremen.

Telegraphic orders to get under way were received by Captain George McDonald from E. N. Breiting of New York, the owner. In two hours the vessel had taken on a pilot and was outside the harbor.

The Dacia cleared Jan. 22. Its delay here is yet unexplained, as its agent and master said they did not know why it was waiting. The Dacia's cotton cargo is valued by the shippers at $880,000, or 16 cents a pound laid down in Bremen.

DEMANDS MADE BY JAPAN

Nippon Government Don't Want Any Territory From China.

Peking, Feb. 1.—The Japanese minister to China, M. Hioki, was questioned concerning the political demands made by Japan upon China following the occupation by Japanese troops of the Kiauchau territory, demands which are now under discussion between the two countries.

He denied that Japan had demanded the cession of any territory of China. He explained that his government was pledged by its alliance with Great Britain to maintain the territorial integrity of China and he said further that the demands made by Japan did not interfere in any way with the rights enjoyed by other nations.

URGED TO TAKE ALL WHEAT

British Trades Unions Advocate Measure to Keep Prices Down.

London, Feb. 1.—The General Federation of Trades unions, in a document issued regarding the high prices of food in the United Kingdom, recommends chiefly that the British government take over all wheat supplies, as has been done by Germany.

"The British farmer," the document reads, "would suffer no real hardship or loss if the government commandeered the whole home grown and unmarketed wheat at $10.50 a quarter, and immediate action on these lines would tend to moderate prices."

Tennessee Brings Refugees From Jaffa

Washington, Feb. 1.—The cruiser Tennessee arrived at Alexandria, Egypt, with 1,000 refugees from Jaffa, on the Syrian coast, and reported to the navy department. The cruiser North Carolina remained at Beirut to guard American interests there.

CHAMP CLARK WANTS WEALTH DISTRIBUTED

Chicago, Feb. 1.—The phenomenal growth of the United States was the theme of an address given here by Champ Clark, speaker of the house of representatives, at a banquet of the Chicago Dental society. He said:

"In 113 years our total wealth multiplied 125 fold and is now rated at the enormous sum of $140,000,000,000, which, if equally distributed, would give $1,312 to every man, woman and child between the two oceans.

"But there is the rub, for while a few are rich beyond the dream of avarice, many have not the wherewithal to food and clothe themselves.

"I am fain to believe the crowning glory of the twentieth century will be a scheme whereby every man and every woman, too, shall enjoy the usufruct of his own labor and to prevent one greedy soul from monopolizing the toil and sweat and lives of the thousands."

SOCIETY AND CLUBLAND

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Calendar.

The Westminster Guild will meet Tuesday night with Mrs. Walter Hanson, 411 East Sixth street.

The Mutual Improvement Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. John Lorance, 115 South Buchanan street, Tuesday afternoon.

The All Sew Club will meet this week on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Frank Murray, 1202 East Jenkins street.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the First Methodist church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Compton on North Main street. Assisting hostesses will be Mrs. S. H. Kemp, Mrs. M. Rittenour and Mrs. A. T. Clark.

The conference departments of the Twentieth Century club will be held at eight o'clock Thursday night at the Elks club with the Modern Drama department as entertainers.

The Ladies Aid society of the Buchanan Street Methodist church will meet in the church at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon.

A missionary tea will be given Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. A. Burris, 107 North Buchanan street, by the Woman's Missionary society of the First Baptist church.

The C. W. B. M. of the First Christian church will meet at two o'clock Friday afternoon with Mrs. J. D. Dickerson on East Sixth street. Mrs. C. C. Barbour will be leader.

Cleve J. Funk, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve J. Funk announce the birth of their son yesterday, to whom they have given the name, Cleve J., Jr.

Joined Matinee Party.

Mrs. E. L. Ferritor and daughter, Mary, returned Saturday night from St. Joseph, where they were the guests of a party of friends at the matinee production of "Everywoman" at the Lyceum theater Saturday.

Entertains Card Club.

Miss Elizabeth Turner entertained the members of the Monday Afternoon auction bridge club with a card luncheon at her apartments on South Main street this afternoon. Mrs. George B. Baker was a complimentary guest.

Miss Stundon Hostess.

Miss Mary Stundon was the hostess of a dinner party given yesterday noon at which she entertained Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lund of Shenandoah, Ia., Miss Rose Johnson, Miss Gertrude Kirch, Miss Emma Jane Crandall and Miss Florence Anderson.

Gives Kensington.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Presbyterian church will be entertained by the executive committee of the society at a dime kensington Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. H. Bainum, 302 East Fourth street.

Valentine Social.

The February social committee of the Christian Endeavor society of the First Christian church will entertain the members of the society and their friends with a valentine party tonight at the home of John McDougal, 822 East First street.

Dinner Party.

Miss Edith Wilson was the hostess of a dinner party given Sunday noon to observe her birthday anniversary. Plates were laid for Miss Besse Scott, Miss Hazel Lake, Miss Hilda Lahr, Miss Anna Parle, Miss Inez Hall, Dr. and Mrs. D. C. Wilson and the hostess.

Attend House Party.

Miss Vada Foland of this city and her guest, Miss Ruth Paddock of Amity returned this morning from Skidmore, where they were guests at a week-end house party given by Misses Mattie and Eula Strickler and Miss Lola Mitchell.

Miss Morford Entertains.

Miss Stella Morford entertained the H. H. H. club of Pickering with a kensington Friday afternoon. Those who enjoyed the occasion were Miss Hazel Burk, Miss Myrtle Null, Miss Bessie Ashford, Miss Eugenia Hull, Miss Edith Jones, Miss Stella Wilson, Miss Leafa Nickeson of Jamesport and Miss Ethel May Hull.

Meeting Postponed.

The meeting of the Music department of the Twentieth Century club, which was to have been held this afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Montgomery, 204 East Thompson street, has been postponed until Monday of next week, when it will meet at the same time and place.

To Give Piano Program.

The pupils recital to be given tonight at the Maryville Conservatory of Music will present a splendid program. One of the features will be a quartet, using two pianos the players being Miss Ruth Reuillard, Miss Hazel Everhart, Miss Eleanor Smith and Miss Grace Sturm. The pupils giving piano numbers will be William McDougal, Ned Colbert, Justine Fraser, Inez Hall, Mary Miller, Helen Curfman and Dorothy McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hosts.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton C. Frank were the hosts of a dinner given at 1 o'clock yesterday, in compliment to Mrs. O. W. Lawrence of Kansas City and Mrs. Ross of Canton. Plates were laid for the Rev. and Mrs. Robert L. Finch, Mrs. Lawrence and daughter, Hester; Mrs. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brink, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bellows, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Schuler, Prof. C. A. Hawkins and Mr and Mrs. Frank. Mrs. Lawrence and daughter and Mrs. Ross left this morning for Kansas City.

Reception for Visitors.

A reception was given Saturday afternoon in the parlors of the First Christian church by the C. W. B. M. and the Mission Circle in compliment to Mrs. Ross of Canton and Mrs. O. W. Lawrence of Kansas City, eminent workers in the mission field, who spent several days visiting in the city. A short program, which included devotions by Mrs. C. B. Roberts, several vocal solos by Mrs. F. P. Robinson and talks by Mrs. Lawrence and Mrs. Ross were given, and the remainder of the afternoon was spent informally. Tea was served at 4 o'clock. Nearly one hundred guests were entertained.

Club Holds Final Meet.

The Dew Drop Inn club held a pleasant meeting Friday night, January 22, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Noakes. During the entertaining hours Mrs. Harry Noakes assisted the hosts. The members present were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Farrar and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Baker and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Noakes and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Noakes and family. On account of the inclement weather the meetings of the club will be postponed until April.

In Compliment to Dakota Visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Fayette Bellows entertained the members of the Tuesday Afternoon bridge club, their husbands and a few other friends with a valentine card party Saturday night. The rooms were attractive with decorations of red hearts and valentine favors and similar colors and designs were used as place markers and tally cards. The guests were bidden in compliment to Mrs. C. C. Banks of Lansford, N. D., a sister of Mrs. Bellows, who is their guest for a few weeks. The game prizes were won by Mrs. William Wallis, Jr., and George B. Baker. The guests were Mrs. Banks, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Beattie, Mr. and Mrs. George B. Baker, Dr. and Mrs. D. J Thomas, Dr. and Mrs. William Wallis, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Forsyth, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Chandler, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Smiley, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Martin, Miss Della Grems, Miss Clara Sturm, Miss Mae Orear, Lou Grems, Harvey L. Haines, P. O. Landon and Paul Sisson.

Twentieth Wedding Anniversary.

Saturday marked the twentieth anniversary of the wedding day of Mr. and Mrs. John C. White, who live west of Maryville, and to celebrate the day, they entertained a large party of friends in the evening with a domino party. In entertaining, the hosts were assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Lewis White, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. White and Miss Clydell White. The members of the Country Club presented Mr. and Mrs.

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This Week is Redfern Week

Jot it down in your memory—it is an event worth attending—and don't fail to come in some time during the week.

Miss Ida Lewis, an associate designer of Redfern Corsets, is with us and will give you many valuable suggestions about corsets, how to wear them, and the corset for your particular type of figure—suggestions that will mean a great deal to your health and appearance. Come in the morning, if possible, as the section will be less crowded then.

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BUSINESS COLLEGE NEWS.

Glen Ulmer returned to school last Monday, after an absence of a week on account of the illness and death of his grandfather.

Miss Della Hook entered school last Monday and will take the combined course.

Quite a number of students have secured positions since the first of the year. The following is a partial list: Misses Marvel Brown, Lula Miller and Bertha Henderson, with the Standard Poland-China Record association; Miss Gertrude Peters, stenographer with Ratekin's seed house, Shenandoah, Ia.; Miss Ethel Hoyt, stenographer, with the Lisle Manufacturing Co., Clarinda, Ia.; Miss Frances Fugh, stenographer, judge of probate office, Gallatin, Mo.; Miss Mabel Neal, bookkeeper, Fisher & McMurry garage; Mr. Ernest Hartness, bookkeeper, Forsyth meat market.

Irvil Stafford, one of our former students, is back for some review work. Clarence Herndon is also taking some review work.

Considerable enthusiasm has been aroused among the typewriting students this year. Many of them are working for the pennants and certificates issued by the Remington and Underwood Typewriting companies. The following have won Remington pennants: Miss Hoyt, Miss Bertha Henderson and Miss Carstens. Miss Carstens has also won the Remington certificate and card case. Miss Logan has won the Underwood certificate.

Features This Week at the Fern.

Tuesday—Jesse L. Lasky presents Robert Edison in "Where the Trail Divides."

Thursday—Famous Players present Margaret Clark in "The Crucible."

Friday—Shubert-Brady present Vivian Martin in "The Wishing Ring."

Coming February 10—Kipling's famous poem, "The Vampire;" "A Fool There Was."

Date changed on "Your Girl and Mine" to February 15.

Returns to St. Joseph.

Miss Rena Long, a teacher in the St. Joseph schools, returned to her home this morning, after a week-end visit in Maryville, as the guest of Miss Ruth Matter.

Son Born to Arnolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Delta Arnold of Clearmont are the parents of a son born yesterday.

CLOSING OUT SALE

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction at the farm 6 miles east and 1½ south of Maryville, and 2¼ miles northeast of Bedison on

FRIDAY, FEB. 5

the followinw property:—

6 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—1 yearling filly, 1 span of yearling mare mules, 2 weanling mare mules and 1 weanling mare colt. These are an extra good lot and will sure suit you.

12 HEAD OF CATTLE—8 head of milk cows, 1 fresh; 1 yearling, 3 spring calves.

28 HEAD OF HOGS—8 head of brood sows to farrow in April. 20 head of stock hogs.

FEED, HAY, ETC.—800 or 900 bushels of corn, 400 bushels of oats, 10 or 12 tons hay, oats straw stack, some fodder, 20 bushels CHOICE SEED CORN.

IMPLEMENTS, ETC.—Manure spreader, mower, stalk cutter, rake, sulky plow, 2 harrows, bob-sled, cultivator, buggy, wagon, road drag. Some native lumber, 400 or 500 HEDGE POSTS galvanized water tank, U. S. cream separator, 2 stoves and other things too numerous to mention.

Lunch by Ladies of Mt. Ayr Church.

TERMS—All sums of $10 and under cash, over that amount 6 months time on bankable note at 8 per cent from date. No property removed until terms are complied with.

R. P. HOSMER, Auctioneer. J. D. RICHEY, Clerk.

W. H. McMurtry & Son

NEWS OF SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

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White with a set of sterling silver knives and forks and many individual gifts were given them to observe the occasion. The evening's enjoyment was concluded with the serving of a two course supper. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Trullinger, Mr. and Mrs. Lige Grooms, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Noakes, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. White, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis White, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Croy, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Knabb, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Farrar, Mr. and Mrs. William Job, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Willhoyt, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Shell, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Willhoyte, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Scott, Mrs. Mary J. Wilhoyte, Miss Wilma Hall, Miss Leora Willhoyte, Miss Clydell White, Jean Hope Croy, Roberta Willhoyte, Raymond Job, Byron Croy, Jr., Ernest Willhoyte, Virgil Groom, Robert Noakes, Jr., Emery and Amos Shell and Eldon Job.

A. G. Hoag, agent of the Adams Express company, visited his mother in St. Joseph yesterday.

I. B. Williams visited in St. Joseph yesterday.

A Little Wagon Heater

Keeps a nice comfortable temperature in our delivery wagon regardless of weather conditions outside. This little heater and careful packing is your guarantee to have flowers delivered direct from our Greenhouses to your home in fresh and in good condition. Fresh cut flowers in appropriate arrangements for any occasion at all season's of the year.

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SUBMARINE SINKS 5 BRITISH SHIPS

Three More Merchant Vessels Sent to Bottom.

NEW POLICY OF THE GERMANS

Great Armies of the Teuton Allies Engaged In Heavy Fighting With Russians to Prevent Invasion—Turkish General and Staff Captured.

WAR SUMMARY

In Poland, East Prussia and the Carpathians extended operations continue without, so far as is known, any decisive advantage being attained by any of the contestants.

In the western arena there is a comparative lull, only the artillery being engaged on most of the front.

Emperor William, who has returned to Berlin, is said to be suffering from the throat affection which has on several occasions given him trouble.

Fresh German troops are concentrating in Belgium to make another attempt to pierce the allies' lines in Flanders.

The German submarine U-21 sank three steamers in the Irish sea near Liverpool. A German submarine also has torpedoed two British steamers in the English channel off Havre.

London, Feb. 1.—The steamer Leinster, from Holyhead to Kingstown, reports that it was chased by a German submarine for fifteen minutes off the Kish lightship, but succeeded in escaping. The Kish lightship is opposite the mouth to Dublin bay.

Two British vessels were torpedoed by a German submarine, in addition to the Ben Cruachen and the Linda Blanche, whose sinking was reported previously.

This was made known in the following statement given out by the French ministry of marine:

"The British steamship Tokomaru has been sunk by a torpedo from a German submarine. The English vessel Icaria also was torpedoed in the same locality in the Irish sea in which the English steamers Linda Blanche and Ben Cruachen were torpedoed.

"Hitherto the Germans before attacking a merchant vessel always allowed the crews sufficient time to embark in the ship's boats. That custom has now been abandoned, as is shown by the bombardment of the Admiral Gantheume, which was filled with Belgium women and children refugees. The German marine has decided to violate systematically international law."

The crew of the British steamer Kilcone has been landed on the Isle of Man, in the Irish sea, by the coasting steamer Gladys. The crew reports that the Kilcone was struck by a submarine. The Kilcone was a small steamer of 465 tons.

German Troops Aid Austrians.

For the fourth time since the beginning of the war, the Carpathian mountains between Dukla and Wyszkow passes form the scene of a pitched battle. The previous battles were between Russians and Austro-Hungarians, but in that which is now developing the Austrians and Hungarians have the assistance of the German armies and are assuming a vigorous offensive.

Despite this, the Russian reports assert that the preliminary fighting has turned to the advantage of Russia and that prisoners and guns have been captured.

Take Turk General.

The Russians have inflicted another defeat on the Turks in the Sari-Kamysh region, where, during a snowstorm, they crossed a mountain and after heavy fighting, captured the commanding general and his staff of the Thirteenth Turkish division and a large quantity of war material. To add to the difficulties of the Ottoman army, the Russian fleet has resumed its activities in the Black sea and has bombarded the Turkish barracks at Trebizond and Rizah, besides sinking several Turkish sailing vessels used as transports.

Except in the neighborhood of La Bassee and in the Argonne, where the Germans have resumed their attack, artillery has been the only arm engaged on the western front. The Germans again claim to have captured some trenches near La Bassee, while the French say that the British have reoccupied all the ground which had been temporarily lost.

Tornado Sweeps East Side of Tulsa.

Tulsa, Okla., Feb. 1.—A tornado swept the east side of Tulsa, injuring five persons. Mrs. Ida Mangan probably will die. Two large oil tanks were set on fire by lightning and several houses were demolished.

Berlin Bankers Give Hospital Train.

Rotterdam, Feb. 1.—A firm of Berlin bankers has presented to the crown prince a completely outfitted hospital train of thirty-six cars. It cost $25,000 and will be used for the wounded from the crown prince's army.

Court Will Hold Night Sessions.

Chicago, Feb. 1.—Night sessions of the Chicago court of domestic relations are to be held once every two weeks, beginning Thursday.

SENATOR WALSH.

Montana Man Who Warmly Supports Administration's Ship Purchase Bill In Speech.

Photo by American Press Association.

FRENCH ARTILLERY SCORES ADVANTAGE

Work Damage at Arras, Roye, Soissons, Rheims and Perthes.

Paris, Feb. 1.—The French war office issued the following statement of the progress of the war:

"The struggle during the day was confined on almost every front to artillery combats. The cannonading was very intense on one side or the other at numerous points. Our artillery has everywhere secured the advantage.

"Before La Bassee, the British army retook all the trenches which it momentarily lost. The Germans have cannonaded the belfry and church of Fonquevillers (to the south of Arras).

"In the sectors of Arras, Roye, Soissons, Rheims and Perthes our batteries have destroyed two of the enemy's piers, several field works, a certain number of lance bombs and dispersed several concentrations of troops, bivouacs and convoys.

"In the Argonne, in the woods of La Grurie, where our troops were obliged on the 29th to retreat slightly, as already reported, the Germans delivered near Fontaine Madame three new attacks, which were repulsed.

"From the Argonne to the Vosges, there has been no change. We hold, notably near Badonville, the village of Angement, which the Germans pretended to have occupied."

Russians Repulse German Attacks.

Petrograd Feb. 1.—The Russian general staff gave out the following statement:

"In the region of the forests north of Pilkallen and Gumbinnen, East Prussia, the battles continue. Here in the region of the village of Lebegalen we repulsed the Germans by a counter attack with bayonets.

"On the left bank of the Vistula, at the approaches to Borjimow, the Germans repeated their attacks upon our positions, but were everywhere thrown back with great losses, except at one trench, which remained in the hands of the enemy. In the region of the village of Jidomitze, two German attempts to take the offensive failed.

"On the Carpathian front, in the passes of Dukla and Vyszkow, the fighting is gradually assuming the character of a general battle."

Germans Take Trenches.

Berlin, Feb. 1.—The following statement was issued at army headquarters:

"In Flanders there were artillery duels only. At Guinchy, south of the high road between La Bassee and Bethune, and near Carency, northwest of Arras, the Germans took some French trenches. On the East Prussian frontier there were no events of importance. In Poland, near Borjimow, to the east of Lodz, a Russian attack was repulsed."

SPEAKS FOR NAVY BIG ENOUGH TO AID

New York, Feb. 1.—The necessity for an adequate navy kept at a high point of efficiency was argued by Franklin D. Roosevelt, assistant secretary of the navy, and George von L. Meyer, former secretary of the navy, the principal speakers at a luncheon by the Republican club here.

"There is no harm in saying that our navy is third largest today, and that France and Japan are progressing," said Mr. Roosevelt. "The future of the navy is in your hands and in the hands of your congressmen, but, unfortunately, many people do not know who are our congressmen. If we had not an adequate navy it would mean the loss of Hawaii, American Samoa, Porto Rico, the Panama canal and the Philippines."

DEMOCRAT-FORUM WANT ADS

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FOR RENT—80-acre farm, close to Burlington Junction, known as the Dave Hughes farm. Call Mrs. W. W. Byers, Hyslop flats, Hanamo phone 4377. 1-2

FOR RENT—Two modern houses, desirable locations, in good repair. Fred Kurtz, phone 649. 29-1

FOR RENT—6-room house on South Market street. Call or phone D. L. Denning, 208 South Walnut. 1-3

For Sale.

FOR SALE—Improved 5-acre tract near town. S. H. Kemp. 30-2

FOR SALE—Kindling wood. Route 3; phone 4X. Frank Martin. 5-3

WOOD FOR SALE—All dry ash, hickory and oak, $3.00 and $4.00 for full guaranteed cord. Other wood $1.00 load. Will deliver. Native lumber for sale. Saunders Bros., Hanamo phone 3698. 14-tf

FOR SALE—Residence lots, south and east front. Farmers phone 45-0-11. 26-tf

FOR SALE—99-acre farm, well improved, 5 miles from Maryville. Inquire here. 29-1

FOR SALE—Old Trusty incubators, delivered, freight paid to any station at factory price. E. L. Andrews. 30-tf

FOR SALE—10 good healthy shoats, weight about 75 pounds each. Ruby Ruddell, Hanamo phone 1 K. L. 30-2

FOR SALE—Lumber and cheap wood. Saunders Bros. 11-tf

Miscellaneous.

ALFALFA DUE NOW—Car first cutting, car third cutting, both good hays; prices right. See or phone me. Elmer Fraser. 29-1

WANTED—Work on farm by young man by year; wants small house to live in. Call Farmer's 39-12. 30-2

SANITARY ENGINEERING requires experienced mechanics and good materials. Our appliances and "knowing how" insures satisfaction. Standard Plumbing Co.

Lost.

LOST—Bag containing rosary (amethyst), scissors, between 710 N. Main and St. Patrick's church. Reward. Ada Diss. 30-2

LOST—Package, between Mt. Ayr church and Maryville Saturday. Contained 2 pairs overalls and 2 union suits. Leave at Forum office. 1-3

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—1,500. Market 10c higher.
Hogs—32,000. Market 5c lower; top, $6.90. Estimate tomorrow, 20,000.
Sheep—8,000. Market 15c higher.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—23,000. Market steady.
Hogs—17,000. Market steady; top, $6.87.
Sheep—10,000. Market strong.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—2,800. Market steady.
Hogs—12,000. Market 10c lower; top, $6.75.
Sheep—5,000. Market strong.

Mound City Visitor Leaves.

Mrs. Jonas Whitmer of Mound City, who has been spending several weeks with her niece, Mrs. George Kemp, left Saturday for Skidmore to visit before returning to her home.

Africo-American Club Meets.

The members of the Africo-American club assembled at their club rooms Friday night and enjoyed a supper and literary program. E. O. Bone acted as toastmaster. The meeting was opened by singing in chorus "Blest Be the Tie That Binds," and a prayer by Rev. J. W. Wells followed. The first address was given by C. C. Baker, the club president, on the subject "The Uplifting of the Negro in Maryville." A response to this address was made by Mrs. B. F. Smart. The following members were present: C. C. Baker, A. A. Williams, Thomas Jackson, Henry Wilson, B. F. Smart, W. M. Palmer, Charles Martin, E. O. Poone, Guy Martin, James Malcolm, John Gooden, Earl Martin, Harry Palmer, George Ousley, and the following visitors: Mrs. B. F. Smart, Mrs. Andrews, Mrs. Dale, Mrs. J. Malcolm, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Gooden, Mrs. Smith, Misses Gertrude Wells, Daisy Allen, Laura White, Dorothy Palmer, Mildred Palmer, Wells, Clara Baker, Laura Williams, Lucy Williams, Leona White, Alice White, Lula White, George Palmer, Rev. Wells, Rufus Palmer, Chester Williams, Arthur Smith, Columbus Palmer and Paul Smith.